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BUSINESS NOTICES

TO-DAY'S CABLES.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.)

THE DOLLAR.
To-day's closing rate 2/4 7/16.
To-day's opening rate 2/4 9/16.

ERSKINE CHILDERS.

RENEGADE ENGLISHMAN EXECUTED.

REBEL MILITARY BRAIN.

LONDON, November 24.

Erskine Childers has been executed.

DOMINATED DE VALERA.

LONDON, November 24.

The execution of the renegade Englishman Erskine Childers who is generally believed to have dominated De Valera and was the military brain of the rebel movement was the result of a secret court martial in Dublin whose decision Erskine Childers' counsel vainly endeavoured to upset by applying for a writ of *habeas corpus* in the civil courts of Dublin.

SECRET TRIAL.

LONDON, November 24.

Erskine Childers was executed at seven o'clock this morning. He is believed to have been shot. The official army report states that Childers was tried by a military court at the Portobello Barracks, Dublin on November 17 on a charge of possessing an automatic pistol without proper authority when apprehended by the National forces on November 10 at Annamoe House in County Wicklow. He was found guilty and sentenced to death.

ABORTIVE IRREGULAR ATTACKS.

The belief that Childers would be executed led to heavy abortive attacks by irregulars on National army posts in Dublin last night.

In Dublin there has been a sensation over the execution, some approving and some disapproving.

DE VALERA'S THREAT.

It is recalled that De Valera recently threatened bloodshed if Childers was executed.

It is believed Childers dominated De Valera and was the military brain of the rebel movement.

FREE STATE BILLS.

LONDON, November 24.

In the House of Commons, Mr. Bonar Law introduced the Irish Free State Constitutional Bill and the Irish Free State Consequential Provisions Bill which were formally read the first time.

NEW CALIPH.

CONSTANTINOPLE, November 24.

The new Caliph was invested without incident.

COMMONS DIVISION.

LIBERALS VOTE WITH LABOUR.

GOVERNMENT SESSION.

LONDON, November 24.

The first division of the new Parliament took place this afternoon when a motion by Mr. Bonar Law empowering the Government to take all the time of the House in the present session for Government business was carried by 239 to 135 votes.

The Labour members opposed the motion. Mr. Ramsay Macdonald said the Labour members did not object to the quickest possible despatch of the Irish Bill, but other questions, for example matters in connection with the Lausanne conference, might require discussion.

LLOYD GEORGE NEUTRAL.

LONDON, November 24.

In the House of Commons the Liberals voted with the Labour members against Mr. Bonar Law's motion. Some National Liberals supported the Government and others abstained. Mr. Lloyd George did not vote.

BAVARIAN OUTRAGE.

BRITISH OFFICER INJURED.

BERLIN, November 24.

A British and a French officer belonging to the Inter-Allied Control Commission who arrived at Ingolstadt in Bavaria to inspect ammunition depots were attacked with clubs and stones by a band of civilians hiding in the vicinity.

The British officer was injured in the face. The crowd closed the station gates to prevent the officers' car from escaping and threatened the chauffeur with death when he attempted to start the engine.

WASHINGTON AGREEMENT.

FRANCE'S ATTITUDE UNCERTAIN?

NEW YORK, November 24.

The *Tribune's* Washington correspondent, referring to M. Leygues' alleged statement, says the Government's advices point to France's early ratification of the naval pact.

The *New York American* alone refers to the probability of the Government—asking whether M. Leygues' attitude is the policy of M. Poincare.

BARON SONNINO.

SIMPLE FUNERAL.

ROME, November 24.

Distinguished callers at the residence of the late Baron Sonnino included the King and Signor Mussolini.

In accordance with the deceased's wishes, the funeral to morrow will be of the simplest character.

DANISH PRINCESS MARRIED.

KING'S YOUNGEST SISTER.

COPENHAGEN, November 24.

Princess Dagmar, youngest sister of the King, has married Lieutenant Joergen Castenskiold, a member of the Royal household.

HONGKONG HOLIDAYS.

NEXT YEAR'S LITTLE LIST.

The following public and general holidays will be observed as Government holidays in 1923:—

PUBLIC HOLIDAY:

Empire Day.—Thursday, May 24.

GENERAL HOLIDAYS:

Every Sunday.—

The first week-day of January.—Monday, January 1.

Chinese New Year's Day, or if that day should be a Sunday then the following day. Provided that if the Chinese hereafter adopt the Gregorian Calendar then the second week-day in January.—Friday, February 16.

The first week-day following Chinese New Year's Day.—Saturday, February 17.

Good Friday.—Friday, March 30.

The day following Good Friday.—Saturday, March 31.

Easter Monday.—Monday, April 2.

The Birthday of His Majesty the King, unless it shall be ordered by the Governor, by an order published in the *Gazette*, that His Majesty's Birthday is to be kept on some other day, and then, such other day.

Whit Monday.—Monday, May 21.

The first week-day in July.—Monday, July 2.

The first Monday in August.—Monday, August 6.

The second Monday in October.—Monday, October 8.

The day following Armistice Day.—Monday, November 12.

Christmas Day, or if that day should be a Sunday then the following day.—Tuesday, December 25.

The twenty-sixth day of December, or if that day should be a Sunday then the following day, unless Christmas Day fall on a Sunday then the Tuesday following Christmas Day.—Wednesday, December 26.

The Police Magistrate's Department from the operation of the Holidays, Ordinance, 1912, Ordinance No. 5 of 1912 has been excluded on January, 1, March 31, April 2, May 21, July 2, August 6, October, 8, November 12, and December 26.

CORRESPONDENCE.

"SUI AN" PIRACY.

Sir,—In view of the piracy of the "Sui An," may I make a possible suggestion.

Recently a number of ex-airservice men desired to form an air force in the Colony, and I understand approached the government with regard to their being equipped with the necessary aeroplane.

Apart from the valuable service they would perform, in the event of any military action, how useful such a machine would have been in the spotting of the "Sui An."

With a speed of 80 to 180 miles an hour it could have covered all the waters in the vicinity in a very short time, and being fitted with wireless been able to have informed the government, and a fast warship sent to the exact spot immediately.

Yours, etc.,
GRITMIST.

Hongkong, November 24.

BUSINESS NOTICES

LAMMERT BROS.

AUCTIONEERS, APPRAISERS AND SURVEYORS.

Public Auctions

THE Undersigned have received instructions from F. Bovington, Esq. to sell by Public Auction

ON

MONDAY, November 27, 1922,
commencing at 2.45 p.m.
at his residence "Holmdale", No. 44 The Peak

A Large Quantity of Valuable Household Furniture,

Comprising:—

Teak hatstand, Drawing Room Suite (Chesterfield Couch and chairs by "Wm. Powell") desks, bookcase etc.

Teak sideboard, dining table and chairs, dinner waggon, ice chest, tea tables, dinner and tea services, glassware etc.

Brass mounted iron bedsteads, double and single wardrobes, dressing table, washstand, pile carpet and rugs, lace curtains etc.,

Also

One Cabinet Victrola
One Carved blackwood desk
One Electric Cooker

And

A Quantity of Plants in pots
On view from Sunday the 26th inst.,
Catalogues will be issued
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LAMMERT BROS.,
Auctioneers.

Hongkong, November 20, 1922.

THE Undersigned have received instructions to sell by Public Auction,

ON

TUESDAY, November 28, 1922,
commencing at 2.45 p.m.
at No. 8, Knutsford Terrace, Kowloon

A Quantity of Valuable Household Furniture and - Blackwood-ware

(all lots must be cleared before the 30th November)

On view on day of sale
Catalogues will be issued
Terms:—Cash on delivery.

LAMMERT BROS.
Auctioneers.

Hongkong, November 21, 1922.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF HONGKONG.

PROBATE JURISDICTION

ACTION No. 2 of 1920.

BETWEEN

LAU TSZ TSAU, LAU TANG SHI, LAU SHE SHI, LAU YIU SHI AND LAU LI SHI Plaintiffs

and

LAU SHIU CHUEN, Defendant.

By order of the Supreme Court of Hongkong

and

Under the direction of the Registrar, Supreme Court.

Messrs. LAMMERT BROTHERS, have received instructions to sell by Public Auction on WEDNESDAY the 29th day of November 1922, at 3 o'clock p.m.

WITHOUT RESERVE

All the right title and interest of the abovenamed defendant LAU SHIU CHUEN alias LAU WAI CHUN or (Chan) of and in the following property situate in the Colony of Hongkong.

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Hongkong, November 20, 1922.

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"In July last I happened to get a scratch on my leg. It was so slight I took no notice of it till a fortnight elapsed, when I found I could not go to work. It gradually grew worse, when it turned septic; from this period it got from bad to worse till at length the sores turned into ulcers. I had at that particular time ulcers the size of a man's hand covering my leg. After I had tried nearly everything I read about your Clarke's Blood Mixture and decided to take it; it was then in the month of October, and after the second bottle I found relief. I continued until the seventh bottle when I found myself completely rid of the trouble. You can make use of this statement and I will be only too pleased to answer any enquiries because it's to nothing else but Clarke's Blood Mixture that I owe my debt of gratitude."

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THE DIRTIEST TOWNS.

LONDON AND MANCHESTER SMOKE COMPARED.

Why is Manchester smoke, Professor A. E. Boycott has been asking, so much worse than London smoke? Dr. J. S. Owens superintendent of the work of the Advisory Committee on Atmospheric Pollution, answering this question, in an interview with a representative of the *Observer*, said:—

"Manchester smoke, as a matter of fact, is not worse than London smoke in the sense mentioned by Professor Boycott, namely, that 'it seems to contain more very fine sticky particles'; but it is worse in the sense that the total deposit of impurities is much greater.

"The only thing that makes smoke sticky is tar, which is found in much greater quantity in domestic than in industrial furnace smoke, and the percentage of tar in Manchester smoke is considerably less than that in London smoke."

Manchester has not published complete records in recent years, but going back to 1916, Dr. Owens found according to observations taken at eight stations in each city, the following to be the mean average monthly deposit of impurities in metric tons per square kilometre:—

	London.	Manchester.
Solids (tar, soot, grit, etc.)	14.7	15.9
Tar only	0.13	0.6
Percentage of tar.	0.9	04

From the observations made in various towns in 1919, Dr. Owens gave the following corresponding figures of deposits of atmospheric impurities of all kinds:—

Manchester	15.16	Rochdale	30.28
London	12.	Coatbridge	16.87
Glasgow	12.52	Southport	7.17
Newcastle	17.28		

"London" he said, "has improved even more since those observations were taken, for the corresponding figures for 1920 21 and for the year ending March 31 last were respectively 9 9 and 9.24. Here smoke is watched very carefully. The authorities will not allow volumes of black smoke to be expelled from factory chimneys. It is true we have a lot of domestic chimneys, but there is no doubt that London has been taking itself in hand and purifying its air in recent years."

London air to-day in fact, compares not unfavourably with that in the country. Tests which have been made recently with a new instrument show that country air is by no means so pure as it is generally supposed to be. So far, indeed, from being quite pure, country air is freely charged with the dust of cities, which is borne to it by almost every breeze that blows, so that after northerly winds even Brighton may get some of that nasty Manchester smoke of which Professor Boycott complains.

FARES FOR PUBLIC VEHICLES.

The fares prescribed for public vehicles are as follows:—

I.—In the Island of Hongkong, Caine Road and Lower Levels, and in Kowloon, and New Kowloon

RICKSHAS.

Five minutes	5 cents
Ten minutes	10 "
Quarter hour	15 "
Half hour	20 "
One hour	30 "
Every Subsequent hour	20 "

If the jinrickshaw be engaged within the City of Victoria, and be discharged outside the Western part of the City of Victoria after 9 p.m., or be discharged to the East of Fay View Police Station on the Eastern side of the City of Victoria after 9 p.m., an extra half fare shall be chargeable.

For 2 or 3 drivers the fare is double or treble respectively.

II.—In the Hill District.

Ten minutes	15 cents
Quarter hour	20 "
Half hour	30 "
One hour	40 "

III.—In the New Territories.

By arrangement with the proprietors through the Police.

CHAIRS.

I.—Lower Levels.

	With 2 Bearers	With 4 Bearers.
Ten minutes	10 cents	20 cents
Quarter hour	15 "	30 "
Half hour	25 "	40 "
One hour	35 "	80 "
Every subsequent hour	25 "	40 "

II.—Hill District.

	With 2 Bearers	With 4 Bearers.
Ten minutes	15 cents	30 cents
Quarter hour	20 "	40 "
Half hour	30 "	60 "
One hour	40 "	80 "
Every subsequent hour	25 "	40 "

THE WATER SUPPLY.

Level and Storage of water in reservoirs on the 1st November, 1922:—

CITY AND HILL DISTRICT WATER WORKS LEVEL.

	1921	1922
Tytam 12 ft. 2in. Below overflow	4 ft. 10 in. Below overflow	
Tytam Byewash 28 ft. 0 in. Below overflow	28 ft. 2 in. Below overflow	
Tytam Intermediate 0 ft. 6 in. Above overflow	14 ft. 2 in. Below overflow	
Tytam Tuk 4 ft. 7 in. Below overflow	25 ft. 1 in. Below overflow	
Wong Nai Chung, 17ft. 3 in. Below overflow	15 ft. 11 in. Below overflow	
Pokfulam, 7 ft. 8 in. Below overflow	8 ft. 1 in. Below overflow	

STORAGE IN MILLIONS AND DECIMALS OF GALLONS.

	1921.	1922.
Tytam	282.24	314.55
Tytam Byewash	Nil	Nil
Tytam Intermediate	198.23	124.02
Tytam Tuk	1,305.60	878.50
Wong Nai Chung	11.97	10.68
Pokfulam	10.22	43.32
Total	1,847.26	1,400.28

Consumption of water in the City and Hill District in millions and decimals of gallons during the month of October.

	1921.	1922.
Consumption	220.63	193.38 millions
Estimated population	354,300	361,620
Consumption per head per day	23.7	17.1 gallons

Constant supply in all districts during October 1921.

Intermittent Supply in all Rider Main Districts during October 1922.

KOWLOON WATER WORKS LEVEL.

	1921.	1922.
Kowloon Gravitation Reservoir	0 ft. 4 in. Above overflow	1 ft. 2 in. Above overflow

STORAGE IN MILLIONS AND DECIMALS OF GALLONS.

	1921.	1922.
Kowloon Gravitation Reservoir	355·98	361 86

Consumption of water in Kowloon in millions and decimals of gallons during the month of October.

	1921.	1922.
Consumption	68.57	53·48 millions
Estimated population	132,100	137,140
Consumption per head per day	14.5	12·5 gallons

The Government Analyst's reports show that the quality of the water is satisfactory.

	1921	1922
Total Rainfall to 31st October	90·91 in.	63·19 in.

T. L. PERKINS,
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Public Works Department.

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-PUBLIC AUCTIONS-

THE Undersigned have received instructions to sell by Public Auction, (For account of the Concerned), on

MONDAY,
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Length ... ...46 ft. B. P.
Breadth ... ... 9 „ 3 ins.
Depth ... ... 5 „ 6 „
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Hongkong, November 18, 1922.

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Mr. Lloyd was 25, and served as an officer during the war. He was seen at 9 o'clock by the gardener, with whom he had a talk. The gardener told a reporter "Mr. Lloyd walked with me in the gardens, and laughed and joked about the bees and the new plants we were planting in the beds."

He had been living in Hampton Court House alone for the past few days, his father being away travelling, while his mother is in America.

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„ Breast,—Ngau Nam ... „	22	20	18
„ Soup,—Tong Yuk ... ... „	22	20	18
„ Steak,—Ngau Yuk Pa ... „	24	24	22
„ Steak Sirloin,—Ngau Lau „	32	30	35
„ Sausages, — Ngau, Cheung „	23	24	20
Bullock's Brains,—Ngau No per set	12	10	12
Tongue, fresh,—Ngau Li each	60	60	60
Tongue, corned,—Ham Ngau Li each 75 cents.	60		—
Head,—Ngau Tau... each	1.00	1.00	1.20
„ Heart,—Ngau Sam... lb.	16	13	14
„ Hump, Salt—Ngau Kin „	22	20	18
„ Feet,—Ngau Keuk...each	12	10	12
„ Kidneys,—Ngau Yiu „	12	10	12
„ —Ngau Mei ... „	20	20	22
„ Liver,—Ngau Kon... lb.	16	13	14
„ Tripe (undressed), Ngau To lb.	8	6	7
Calves' Head and Feet,—Ngau-tsai-tau-keuk ... ... set	$1.20	1.00	1.00
Mutton Chop,—Yeung Pei Kwat lb.	36	26	25
„ Leg,—Yeung Pei ... ... „	36	26	25
„ Shoulder,—Yeung Shau „	34	24	24
„ Saddle,—Yeung On Yuk „	26	16	—
Pig's Chitlings,—Chu Chong „	56	25	27
„ Brains,—Chu No ..... per set	3	22	12
„ Feet,—Chu Keuk ... ... lb.	15	15	—
„ Fry,—Chu Chap ... ... „	30	15	18
„ Head,—Chu Tau ... ... „	18	20	
„ Heart,—Chu Sam ... ... each	10	10	10
„ Kidneys,—Chu Yiu... ... each	10	10	8
„ Liver,—Chu Kon ... ... lb.	30	30	24
Pork Chop,—Chu Pai Kwat ... „	30	25	24
„ Leg,—Chu Pei... ... ... „	30	28	27
„ Loin,—Chu Hau Tau ... „	18	28	—
„ Fat or Lard,—Chu Yau... „	22	21	—
Sheep's Head and Feet,—Yeung Tau-Keuk... ... ... set	75	60	70
Heart,—Yeung Sam ... each	10	8	7
Kidneys,—Yeung Yiu each	15	12	10
„ Liver,—Yeung Kon ... lb.	36	28	25
Sucking Pigs, to order,—Chu Tsai „	45	25	22
Suet, Beef,—Shang Ngau Yau ... „	26	20	18
„ Mutton,—Shang Yeung Yau „	40	26	24
Veal,—Ngau Tsai Yuk... ... ... „	21	20	19
Sausages,—Ngau Tsai Cheung	32	24	20
No. 1 ... lb.	26	—	—

Fish.

Barbel,—Ka Yu... ... ... lb.	28	19	24
Bream,—Pin Yu... ... ... „	24	20	16
Canton Fresh Water Fish.—Hoi Sin Yu „	24	18	16
Carp,—Li Yu	28	16	27
Catfish,—Chik Yu	24	12	9
Codfish,—Mun Yu	32	20	25
Crabs,—Hai...	48	23	26
Cuttle Fish,—Muk Yu. ... ... „	18	16	2
Dab,—Sha Mang Yu ... ... „	45	23	15
Dace,—Wong Mei Lap ... ... „	16	10	9
Dog Fish,—Tih To Sha ... ... „	10	10	8
Eels, Conger,—Hoi Man ... ... „	24	16	16
„ Fresh water,—Tam Shui Yu „	24	20	18
„ Yellow —Wong Sin ... ... „	32	26	30
Frogs,—Tin Kai... ... ... „	45	32	25
Garoupa,—Shak Pan... ... ... „	46	40	30
Gudgeon,—Pak Kap Yu ... ... „	16	16	15
Herrings,—Tso Pak ... ... „	25	21	18
Halibut,—Cheung Kwan Kap... „	18	18	23
Labrus,—Wong Fa Yu ... ... „	24	22	15
Loach,—Wu Yu ... ... „	50	22	24
Lobsters,—Lung Ha ... ... „	40	32	21
Mackerel,—Chi Yu ... ... „	24	20	26
Monk Fish,—Moug Yu ... ... „	35	32	28
Mullet,—Tsai Yu... ... ... „	23	18	2
Oysters,—Shang Ho ... ... „	20	16	22
Parrot Fish,—Kai Kung Yu ... „	23	14	9
Perch,—Tau Lo ... ... „	28	20	15
Pike,—Fa Pau Fong ... ... „	12	16	9
Plaice, —Pan Yu... ... ... „	40	28	14
Pomfret, Black,—Hak Chong ... „	35	26	29
Pomfret, White,—Pak Chong ...	40	36	30
Prawns,—Ming Ha ... ... „	50	36	45
Ray,—Pai Pa Sha ... ... „	10	10	14
Rock Fish,—Shak Kau Kung ... „	16	13	18
Roach,—Chun Yu ... ... „	30	22	16
Salmon,—Ma Yau... ... ... „	45	36	30
Shark,—Sha Yu ... ... „	10	6	10
Skate,—Po Yu ... ... „	16	10	10
Shrimps,—Ha ... ... „	34	23	25
Snapper,—Lap Yu ... ... „	26	32	10
Soles,—Tab Sha Yu ... ... „	28	28	26
Tench,—Wan Yu ... ... „	30	22	16
Turbot,—Tso Han Yu ... ... „	28	19	22
Turtles, small fresh water,—Kuek Yu	1.10	40	...

Poultry.

	November 22, 1922. Cts.	June 1918. Cts.	June 1914 Cts.
Chicken,—Kai Tsa. ... ... lb.	45	30	31
Capons, Small,—Sin Kai ... ... „	40	28	30
Capons, Large,—Sin Ka ... ... „	45	28	30
Duck,—Ap ... ... „	36	22	21
Doves,—Pau Kau	26	—	—
Eggs, Hen,—Kai Tan (cooking) per doz	22	16	—
Eggs, Hen,—Kai Tan (fresh) ...per doz.	32	25	20
Fowls, Canton,—Kai... ... ... lb	60	36	24
Fowls, Hainan,—Hoi Nam Kai „	40	28	—
Geese,—Ngo „ ... ... „	35	24	24
Pigeons, Canton,—Pak Kap...each	40	30	
„ Hoihow,—Hoi Hau Pak Kap each	26	22	
Turkeys, Cock,—Fo Kai Kung lb.	70	60	50
Turkeys, Hen,—Fo Kai Na ... „	65	52	45
Snipe,—Sha Tsui... ... ... each	28	22	—
Pheasant,—Shan Kai... ... ... „	2.00	—	—
Quail,—Om Chun ... ... „	25	—	20
Partridges,—Cho Ka ... ... „	80	—	—

Fruits.

Almonds,—Hang Yan ... ... lb.	35	25	20
Apples, (California),—Kam Shan Ping Ko „	25	24	
Bananas, (bride's), Macao,—Sam Heong Chiu „	4	4	
Chambo's,—Yeung To „		12	—
Cocoanuts,—Ye Tse ... ... each	10	10	10
Lemons, China,—Ling Mung... lb.	6	7	
Lemons, (America),—Sam Shan Ling Mung ... each	9	8	6
Lichees, Dried, (small stone),—Lai Chi Koo lb.	22	26	3
Oranges, (Canton), Sweet,—	7		10
Shan-shang Tim Chang lb	8		
Oranges, Tim Chang	9	—	15
Pears, (Canton), Cooking,—Sha Li „	12		
Peanuts,—Fa Shang ... ... „	12	10	12
Persimmons, Large,—Hung Tso „	9	12	...
Plantain,—Tai Chiu ... ... „	3	3	4
Pomelo, Siam,—Tsim Lo Yau ...each	13	12	6
Walnuts,—Hop To ... ... lb.	13	14	15
Grapes,—Po Tai Tsz ... ... „	28	25	...

Vegetables, &c.

Artichokes,—Ah Chi Chuk ...each	9	-	6
Beans, Sprout,—Ngo Tso... ... lb	3		7
„ Long,—Tau Kok	8		—
Beet Root,—Hung Tsoi Tau ... ...2 each	8		6
Bitter Squash,—Fu Kwa ... ... „	6	—	—
Brinjals, Green,—Ching Yeu Kwa „	5	5	9
„ Red,—Hung Kee... ... „	5	6	8
Cabbage Chinese, (common),—Kai Tsoi „	6	6	12
„ (Shanghai)—Ye Tsoi ... „	12	12	—
Cane Shoots, bunch,—Kau Shun „	2	—	9
Cauliflower (Large),—Ye Tsoi Fa each	35	—	—
(Medium), „ „	20	—	—
(Small), „ „	13	—	
Carrots,—Kam Shan... ... ... lb	7	6	6
Celery Chinese,—Tong Kan Tso „	9	10	8
Chillies, Dried,—Kon Lat Chiu „	20	25	25
„ Red,—Hung Fa Chiu ... „	10	10	16
„ Green,—Ching Lat Chiu „	10	8	12
Curry Stuff, English,—Ka Li Chr Lau lb.	10	10	10
Cucumbers,—Ching Kwa ... ... each	2	2	—
Garlic,—Suu Tau ... ... lb.	5	8	...
Ginger young,—Suu Tso Keung „	6	7	...
Ginger, old,—Lo Keung	7	10	...
Horseradish, Shanghai,—Lih Kan „	20	45	...
Indian Corn,—Shuk Mai ... ...each		6	4
Lettuce,—Yeung Sheng Tsoi ... lb.	6	1	
Water Chestnuts,—Ma Tai ... lb.	8	6	6
„ Mandarin,—Kwai Lam Ma Tai ... „	10	10	6
Mushrooms, Fresh,—Shang Tso Ku lb.	44	...	3
Onions ... ... b.	8	10	10
Onions, Bombay,—Yeung Chung Tau lb.	8	6	6
Onions, Green,—Shang Chung lb.	4	4	6
Onions, Shanghai,—Sheung-hoi Chung Tau „	5	6	...
Parsley,—Kun Tsoi ... ... „	16	60	8
Potato, Sweet,—Fau Shu ... ... „	4	3	
„ Japanese,—Yat Pun Shu Tsai lb.	5	3	—
„ American,—Fa Ki Shu Tsai lb.	8	6	10
Pumpkin,—Tung Kwa ... ... lb.	4	3	4
Radish,—Hung Lo Pak Tsai ... „	6	6	...
Rhubarb (Fresh),—Tai Wong ...		...	10
Shallots,—Kong Chow Tau ... „	6	6	8
Spinach,—Yin Tsoi ... ... „	7	4	
Tomatoes,—Fan Ka ... ... „	7	7	7
Taros,—Wu Tau ... ... „	6	6	
Turnips, Sweet, (Long),—Lo Pak „	4	4	4
Vegetable Marrow,—Tsih Kwa... „	3	4	...
Water Cress,—Sai Yeung Tsoi...	6	15	...
„ Lily root,—Lin Ngau... „	6	6	...
Yams, Fa Shu ... ... „	4		4

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BIRTH.

DALGETY.—At 113, The Peak, on 24th November, the wife of G. M. Dalgety, a son.

The China Mail.

"TRUTH, JUSTICE, PUBLIC SERVICE"

HONGKONG, SATURDAY, NOV. 25, 1922.

WHERE FLIES THE JOLLY ROGER

Mighty scorn you'd have expressed less than a week ago had you perchance overheard anyone, anxious to awe the newcomer, enlarging upon the pirate perils, not of the upper West River, not of the stormy interior, but of a prosaic Macao Sunday excursion steamer. After this I shall listen with polite respect when I hear anyone painting the pirate terrors of the Star ferry, the Peak tramway—or Broker's Alley.

WHISPER AND I SHALL HEAR.

Straws are slender things yet enough will break the camel's back Water drops are little things but enough will make the torrent rage. Combine all the whispers heard above the music during the local opera season and you will have a shout that would have brought the walls of Jericho down. Makes one's blood boil, it does.

HERE'S A CHALLENGE.

A "certain party" who confesses he sometimes reads sermons, sends me the following quotation from a Home paper:—

"I should like to know what the churches are doing to save sinners from profiteering, breaking the traffic laws, bootlegging, and boodling. I should like to know, also, how far they think they are succeeding in saving the souls of men and women from the spiritual meanneseres of malice and envy, scandal mongering, bitterness and jealousy; how far they think they are succeeding in imbuing mankind with the charity that vaunteth not itself and is not puffed up."

Which reminds me of the famous Mr. Dooley's sapient utterance: "Whenever I read in a Sermon that th' wurruld is going to pot, that th' foundations in government is threatened, that th' whole fabric iv civilised society is in danger, that humanity is on th' down grade and morality is blinkin', that men are becoming dhrunkards, an' women gamblers, and that th' future iv th' race is deathruction I can always console mesilf with wan thought—" "What's that?" inquired Mr. Hennessey. "It isn't so," said Mr. Dooley.

OVER THIRTY YEARS AGO.

"A passenger, seeing the stand of arms at the top of the companion, made some remark about it to the Captain, who replied with a smile, 'They are a relic of the past; years ago we used to want them, but we don't ever require them now.' Within an hour of speaking these words . . . . he was lying murdered in his cabin." How gimly this extract from the "Namoa" piracy report reads now, after the "Sui An" outrage. "Years ago we used to want them, but we don't ever require them now"—the "Namoa" was pirated *over thirty* years ago. And the chronicler added "The news of the tragedy [when this Douglas steamer was pirated the Captain and one of the quartermasters were fatally shot and several officers were wounded] has struck with the more force inasmuch as the attacks of pirates on European ships, and especially attacks of such a bloodthirsty character and attended with such dire results, have come to be looked upon as things of the past." And that, I repeat, was over thirty years ago.

HISTORY REPEATING ITSELF.

Incidentally, the "Namoa's" passengers fared even worse than the 'Sui An's." The attack was made when the ship was five hours out from Hongkong. The passengers had sat down to tiffin when the pirates seized the ship in four parts simultaneously. One of the passengers, feeling unwell, was having his tiffin on deck. This trivial circumstance cost him his life, for the pirates shot him dead without parley. The pirates then fired among the passengers in the saloon. The leader, who spoke pidgin English, ordered the captain to come on deck, promising him he would escape unhurt. Before he could reach the deck, however, he was shot through the right breast. He managed to stagger to his cabin and died there an hour later. The passengers rushed to their cabins and locked themselves in. Failing to get them out, the pirates promised not to harm them if they would assemble in the captain's cabin. When all the Europeans had been imprisoned here, after receiving very rough treatment, the cabin was nailed up with spars and a guard was stationed outside. Here they remained prisoners for eight hours, and their sufferings as described by one of the party were nothing less than terrible. "The cabin was only an ordinary sized one and into this were huddled eleven persons one, the unfortunate Captain, soon becoming a corpse. To the anxiety of mind caused by the uncertainty of their fate and the dying agonies of their ill-fated companion were added the physical sufferings consequent on the want of fresh air, the unfortunate prisoners not being allowed to open a window even to allow of ventilation." The pirates got away with over $20,000 worth of booty, but it is comforting to recall that seven of them were caught by the Chinese authorities and executed at Kowloon City two months later. Let us hope history will repeat itself in this last respect—tenfold.

CAN YOU PASS?

A noted actor has written that "the height of bad manners is to be rude to servants." I wonder just how many Hongkong people would fail before this test. He also observes: "Few decent men swear."

UGLY NAME BOARDS.

Hongkong now has many buildings which any city might envy, but some tenants appear to have very little civic pride. The finest building can be disfigured with the ugliest sign. The appearance presented by the doorway of Queen's Road's latest building is (mildly) an offence. Surely it is possible to give the name and indicate the position of an upstairs office without spoiling the dignity of a beautiful building? Hongkong's nameboard makers appear to lack enterprise woefully or tenants have no souls above a few dollars. Which is it?

BECAUSE THEY ARE BEAUTIFUL.

Quoting Mrs. Patrick Campbell's dedication of her book last week, I have moved a reader to send me a copy of the lines Mark Twain had cut in the modest block of marble which marks the resting place of his wife in the cemetery at New York. The lines have nothing to do with books, but my correspondent wishes me to reprint them as they have a rare beauty. That is ample reason and here they are:—

Warm summer sun,
Shine kindly here.
Warm Southern wind,
Blow softly here.
Green sod above,
Lie light, lie light.
Good night, dear heart,
Good night, good night.

THE CHATTER BOXES

The "Sui An" piracy has brought the usual flood of comment, most of it harmless enough but some really mischievous. Of course there are several points which require the closest scrutiny, but to discuss these before the inquiry court has delivered its findings is more than futile, more than foolish. Mostly it is actually harmful and certainly grossly unfair.

WITH THE USUAL CEREMONIAL.

"The King and Queen opened Parliament in state this morning with the usual ceremonial." With these fourteen words Reuter yesterday dismissed one of the most picturesque pageants left in these material times. Long before their Majesties arrive the peers have gathered in their scarlet and ermine robes. Before the vacant golden thrones gather the judges in ermine cloaks and flowing wigs; to the right and left are the white-robed bishops and the ambassadors in gold laced coats. Through the open doors Gentlemen of the Bodyguard are seen leaning on tall halberds. "There is a flourish of trumpets. Their Majesties appear. The lights flare up and the diamonds gather new flames. The House of Peers rises to its feet as the King and Queen, hand in hand, bow gravely and slowly mount to the thrones. Little pages in Court dress, with tiny swords pointing slantwise through their velvet coat tails, swiftly arrange the royal trains. Bluemantle Pursuivant, Rouge Croix Pursuivant, Portcullis Pursuivant and the four heralds stand, grouped about the throne as the King, through the Lord Great Chamberlain, sends the Gentleman Usher of the Black Rod to summon the faithful Commons." After a pause the Commons are heard gathering at the Bar of the Gilded Chamber. Dropping on one knee, the Lord Chancellor hands the King a thick parchment. The King reads. And then it is all over. The King offering the Queen his hand, their Majesties leave the Chamber, heavy trains borne by the little pages. Parliament has been opened "with the usual ceremonial."

MODERN PIRACY EXPLOIT

The Colony talking piracy, thinking piracy and dreaming piracy, it is timely to recall the most amazing piracy in modern times This took place miles away from China forty-two years ago this very month. Posing as a relative of Mr. W. H. Smith, the then First Lord of the Admiralty, "a certain Mr. Smith" chartered the steamer "Ferret" from the Highland Railway Company, ostensibly to take his invalid wife for a cruise in the Mediterranean. Stored in a most elaborate manner—all on credit, of course—she left Milford Haven and made Gibraltar and there one night dropped overboard boats, lifebelts and other gear bearing her name, giving the impression she had foundered. Doubling back into the Atlantic, she was soon effectively disguised with the paint brush, and under the name "Benton" made St. Vincent in the Cape Verde Islands, where she exchanged some bills for stores. Her next port was Santos. Here her more than reasonable freight rates secured her a large coffee cargo for French consignees which she later sold at Capetown for £11,000, of which £8 000 unfortunately for Smith was in bills he could not of course cash. Failing to sell the ship in Mauritius, Smith next set course for Australia under the name "India," which however failed to deceive the Melbourne authorities, with the result that a suprise police visit led to the arrest of the men. Purchased by a local steamship company, the ship herself maintained a passenger service along the Australian coast for many years until wrecked about twelve months ago.

WHEN BROADCASTING'S HERE.

That wireless committee investigates broadcasting. What visions this bald announcement inspires! Draughty nights one can crouch over the homely electric heater and enjoy (say) that resuscitated Philharmonic Society's latest concert. Busy shareholders need never bestir themselves from present labours and yet hear those soothing words with which every Chairman unctuously concludes his "few" remarks—"Dividend warrants are now ready and. . . ." Drowsy afternoons nerve-racked tiffans can gently doze away, listening to the pleasant droning which is a Legislative Council debate. The possibilities are infinite.

ERSKINE CHILDERS.

Erskine Childers, latest cables report, has been executed. He was an Englishman without a drop of Irish blood in his veins. A nephew of the late Hugh Childers (Gladstone's Chancellor of the Exchequer), he wrote ten years ago—"The Framework of Home Rule," but it was his clever "Riddle of the Sands" which earned him international celebrity. His was the yacht that carried rifles for the Nationalist Volunteers in the early summer of 1914 following the Ulster gun-running at Larne. During the war he was in the British naval service, and at its close returned to Irish agitation.

"TIGER'S" RETURN.

The "Tiger's" tour of America has been undertaken to explain "the rights and duties in the world crisis of each nation, where the same victory made all the Allies equally responsible for the future." And the way he does this is to start another war scare, and stir up the passions of 1914 again. Eighty-one years old, he's incorrigible.

MAGIC AND MUSIC.

The A.D.C.'s choice of "The Tempest" for their next production is very happy. This play, which is now believed to have been written expressly for the betrothal of "the incomparable Queen of Hearts whose name in story is Elizabeth of Bohemia," is the first one in the First Folio of 1623, but chronologically almost the last, if not the very last, that Shakespeare wrote. Magic and music meet in "The Tempest", and, as Sir Arthur Quiller-Couch has expressed it, are so wedded that none can put them asunder.

That was the chirp of Ariel
You heard, as overhead it flew;
The farther going, more to dwell
And wing our green to wed our blue;
But whether note of joy, or knoll,
Not his own Father-singer knew;
Nor yet can any mortal tell,
Save only that it shivers through
The breast of us a sounded shell,
The blood of us a lighted dew.

Truly Shakespeare has clothed this play with enchantment and suffused it with poetic feeling. The A.D.C. has a great opportunity. Assuredly it will make the most thereof.

SPARE HOSES FOR PIRATES.

Someone has suggested hoses as a means of dealing with pirates. And the passengers among whom the desperadoes mingled! Someone had better think again.

FACT.

Dreaming idly of a three bob dollar as I sat in the botanical gardens, I was startled to hear a small child's voice demand plaintively, almost accusingly: "Why don't you get a little girl like me?" And I was so taken aback by this unexpected poser, I had not found an answer when amah recovered possession of her precocious charge.

COLONY'S LIFE BLOOD.

Imports and exports have (with shipping) the glory of being Hongkong's "life blood" (blessed similes) but the Colony now has a third interest, thus: imports, exports—and interports.

YO HO AND A BOTTLE OF RUM.

Among other picturesque items, reported that the pirates looted the "Sui An's" bar. Let us borrow Gilbert's eloquence and Sullivan's lyre:—

Pour, oh pour the pirate sherry!
Fill, oh fill the pirate glass!
And to make us more than merry,
Let this pirate bumper pass.

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

The regulations governing the examinations for Eastern Cadetships have recently been revised.

Mr. C. A. D. Melbourne has been appointed a member of the Licensing Board for a period of three years.

On December 1 the sun rises at 6.46 and sets at 5.38. On December 31 it rises at 7.03 and sets at 5.49.

The name of the Hastings, Hodge and Company (Shanghai), Limited, has been struck off the Company's Register.

The Government of Portugal has recently passed a law providing for the liquidation of the Transportes Maritimos do Estado in Portugal.

The Police Department is inviting tenders for photographing "Certain persons" next year. "Certain persons" include vehicle drivers, chair bearers, prisoners and dead bodies.

The funeral of Mr. Raphael Emanuel Belilios, who died at the Hotel Victoria, Northumberland Avenue, W.C., on October 17, took place at the Jewish Cemetery, Hoop Lane, Golder's Green, on October 20.

In connection with the Kennedy Road highway robbery on Tuesday when a Chinese student was held up by two men, Mr. J. R. Wood in the Police Court this morning committed a man arrested later in the week to stand his trial in the Criminal Court.

Forthcoming Crown land sales include 45,450 sq. ft. north of the small temple at Whitfield for an upset price of $32,925; 6,720 sq. ft. at Bridges Street, Taipingshan for $43,600; 390 sq ft. at Hong Lok St. (Kowloon) for $390; and 76 acres at Lung Ku Tan for $2,000.

Yesterday the Bishop of Victoria, in his private chapel, licensed to officiate in the Diocese the Reverend Edward Keith Quick M. A. St. John's College and Ridley Hall Cambridge. Mr. Quick is now serving as Master at St. Stephen's College and was formerly Master and Assistant Chaplain at Bedford School.

Among the passengers who arrived in Hongkong by the C. P. s.s. "Empress of Russia" yesterday were Major E. V. Benjamin, General Manager of the Dutch Asiatic Petroleum Company, Mr. F. C. Hall, of Messrs. Jardine, Matheson's, who is accompanied by his wife, Mr. P. Tester partner in the firm of Messrs Wright and Hornsby, brokers of Hongkong, and Mr. L. D McNicoll, of Lever Bros, soap manufacturers.

Passengers for Hongkong by the "Kamo Maru" (from London on October 28th) include.—Miss M. W. Alabaster, Mr. F. Bagot, Miss D. Carrick, Mr. and Mrs. H. Fawcett, Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Goodman, Mr. F. C Goodman, junr., Master G. L. Goodman, Miss A. M Goodman, Mrs. E. M Hand, Miss Hand, Mr. and Mrs. T. Petrie, Miss D. Puncheon, Mr. J. Puncheon Miss D. M. R. Russell, Mr. A. Scott, Dr. E. F. See, Mr. Tully, Mr. C. Wacker and Mr. C. H. Wan.

SCHOOLBOY'S DEATH.

DROWNED IN Y.M.C.A. SWIMMING POOL.

CORONER'S INQUIRY HELD.

Mr. J. R. Wood, as Coroner, and a Jury composed of Messrs. R. K. Valentine (foreman), C. G. Adams and C. S. Remedios, held an inquiry yesterday afternoon into the circumstances attending the tragic death of a 14-year old student of the Ellis Kadoorie School, named Won Kit ying, who was found dead in the swimming pool of the Y. M. C. A., on Nov. 6.

The Hon. Mr. E. A. Irving, Director of Education, attended the inquiry and sat on the bench with the Coroner.

Mr. R. E. O. Bird, Headmaster of the Ellis Kadoorie School, suggested that the bath was wrongly constructed in having a door at the deep end. This was not allowed in England, he said.

A Chinese physical instructor, said he was teaching swimming to Ellis Kadoorie School boys from 11.55 to 12 55 p.m., on November, 6. When he left the swimming pool was clear. He himself turned everybody out and then went for his meal. When he returned a boy informed him that a suit of clothing had been found in the dressing room. He hurried to the pool. The water was clear and in the deep end he saw the naked body of a boy at the bottom. He dragged it by means of a bamboo to the shallow end. All the boys, he explained, did not wear bathing costumes at the classes. Artifical respiration was tried but the boy was already dead.

Dr. Smalley who saw the body at the mortuary, said the cause of death was drowning.

Mr. A. E. Dome, Chief Physical Instructor, gave evidence of identification. He said two of the three doors leading to the pool were usually unlocked, but the main door at the shallow end, was generally locked. At the deep end, the pool contained 8 or 9 feet of water. When he saw the deceased's body, he judged from its coldness that the boy had been dead about 30 minutes.

Replying to Mr. Bird's suggestion that the pool was badly constructed, the witness said the door at the deep end did not lead right into the bath. There was a space of about three feet between the door and the edge of the pool.

The Director of Education: Is it a fact that the boys do not wear clothing when bathing?—Yes, that is one of the regulations.

The Coroner: What is the object?

The witness said it was for sanitary reasons.

By the foreman: The boys were divided into two classes—swimmers and non swimmers.

The Coroner: By swimmers what do you mean?

The witness: Those who hold up their hands when the swimmers are asked to step forward.

A Chinese master of the Ellis Kadoorie School deposed to missing the deceased when he took muster when the class returned to the school. Some of the boys suggested that perhaps the deceased had gone home, and witness took no further steps.

Another Chinese master said that the two classes were marched back separately. He could not say whether Mr. Kong counted the boys or not.

The Coroner: What you say does not agree what with Mr. Kong says. He counted 55 altogether. You say you counted them separately; now which is right?

The witness: I counted my boys separately. Whether Mr. Kong counted the two classes I do not know. My class was lined up by itself in proper order.

Mr. McPherson, General Secretary of the Y.M.C.A. said that he did not think the construction of the pool was faulty, for if the door had been at the shallow end it was just possible the boys would have dived in and hurt their heads.

The Coroner, in summing up, said that there could be no doubt that the boy met his death by accidental drowning. How the boy got into the bath it was impossible to say. It was probable that he went into the bath by himself after the others had gone. It was not likely that he would be left in the bath by himself. The evidence given by the masters was not satisfactory, but they agreed that the class left the Y.M.C.A. after 12 noon and Mr. Dome said that when he saw the body at 1.50 p.m., the boy, in his opinion, had not been dead more than half-an-hour. There could be no blame attached to anyone and the important point was to prevent a recurrence in future. It was for the Jury to make any comment they thought fit on the matter.

After a brief consultation the Jury returned a verdict of accidental death and recommended that the doors of the swimming pool be locked in the absence of the instructor. They also recommended that a railing be placed between the entrance of the locker room and the edge of the pool.

HONGKONG S. P. C. A.

WHAT IT IS DOING.

ANNUAL MEETING HELD.

The Hongkong Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals, which now has a membership of 820, compared with 353 a year ago, held its annual meeting in the old Chamber of Commerce rooms last evening. The Hon. Mr. H. E. Pollock K.C. presided and amongst those who attended was the Hon. Mr. Claud Severn C.M.G.

In the course of a lengthy review of the Society's activities during the past year and of its prospects for the future, the Hon. Mr. Pollock remarked that the immediate occasion of the revival of the Society was the insufficiency of the present Dogs' Home at Causeway Bay, coupled with complaints as to unsatisfactory methods of destroying dogs. Upon both points, he was the bearer of good news. An anonymous donor had most generously promised to build, equip, and endow an up-to-date Dogs' Home, including a lethal Chamber, caretaker's quarters, and paddock for the dogs to exercise in—(applause.) The scheme would include a building where persons leaving the Colony for a time might leave their dogs or cats, on payment of a reasonable sum for looking after them. The question of a suitable site would form the subject of prompt consideration by the incoming Committee.

The Chairman enlarged upon the various forms of cruelty to which animals were subjected in the Colony, but he was sorry to say that the instances given by no means exhausted the tale; they showed, however, that the Society had a very full programme ahead. As to the work already accomplished, it was felt that amongst the Chinese, to whom the idea of paying regard to the suffering of animals was new and strange, efforts must be made of an educational character, and, to that end, a strong Chinese contingent was enlisted on the Committee. The Society was fortunate enough to engage, from the 1st August, the services of a retired Sanitary Officer, Inspector Fisher, as Inspector of the S.P.C.A. and his knowledge of the Chinese people and of their language had stood the Society in very good stead—(applause). His report showed a record of excellent work and proved conclusively, the Chairman thought, the need for engaging two more inspectors

The accounts showed a balance of about $7,000 in hand, but that was insufficient to pay two more Inspectors, not to mention other necessary expenses. He could not believe that the public of Hongkong, whom he had always found generous in support of any good cause, would allow the Society's efforts to languish for want of funds.

Inspector Fisher, in his report explained that he had worked on the principle of "Instruction rather than Prosecution" and claimed that good results had accrued. He had had it in mind that it was a novel idea to the Chinese that an animal which was to be killed should be treated kindly.

A summary of the work done between August 1 and November 15 showed that hundreds of visits and inspections had been made. Each of the 145 market stalls had had the regulations and bye-laws governing the supply of water and the lining of crates, explained to them, and some 150 copies of the regulations governing the import and export of pigs and poultry had been served on traders and trading junks, and copies in English and Chinese had been posted on all the wharves along Connaught Road. More Inspectors were badly needed, and unless at least three were appointed much really necessary work must be neglected.

In moving that the report and accounts be adopted, the Chairman suggested that a "drive" of offices should be made to raise funds for the Society.

Commander Beckwith seconded, and the reports were adopted.

Mr. Pollock was re-elected President on the proposition of the Hon. Mr. Claud Severn, seconded by Mr. Quarles van Ufford. Commander Beckwith was re-elected Vice-President; Mr. Ramsay, hon. Treasurer; and Mr. B. L. Frost, hon. secretary.

Reference was made by the Chairman to the great loss the Society had sustained by the death of Mr. Lau Chu Pak. A vote of thanks was accorded the hon. treasurer on the proposition of the Hon. Mr. Claud Severn.

A large Committee was then appointed and the meeting concluded.

GREENFIELD PETITION.

CHIEF JUSTICE'S DECISION.

RECEIVING ORDER MADE.

The Chief Justice (Sir William Rees Davies K.C.) announced his decision this morning to grant the receiving order in respect of Mr Samuel Greenfield's estate which was asked for in the petition presented recently by two stockbrokers, Mr. P. M. N. da Silva and Mr. M. A. Razack. It was the sequel to an unsuccessful speculation in "China Provident" shares which Mr. Greenfield had indulged in.

Mr. C. G. Alabaster K.C. (instructed by Messrs. Wilkinson and Grist) appeared for the petitioning creditors and Mr. Eldev Zeitlyn (instructed by Mr. G. R. Haywood) on behalf of the debtor.

The petition was opposed by the debtor on the following grounds:—

(1) That the petitioners had been guilty of a breach of duty to their clients which should disentitle them to the order asked for.

(2) That the debts alleged were of a gambling and illegal nature and irrecoverable in law.

(3) That no act of bankruptcy had been committed.

Dealing with the last point, His Lordship said he was clearly of opinion that in the case before him there was a clear intention on the part of the debtor to suspend payment of his debts and his creditors, in the terms of the language used by him, could come to no other conclusion.

The Chief Justice quoted a number of authorities on the point raised as to the legality of the debts and said that in his opinion they disposed of the contention that these share transactions, *i.e.* the sale notes taken in conjunction with the by-laws endorsed on the back, were illegal as wagering contracts.

No authority, His Lordship said in conclusion, was cited to show that any breach of duty if such existed on the part of a petitioning creditors, was a ground for dismissing a petition.

After His Lordship had made an order for a receiving order, Mr. Zeitlyn asked that his costs should be allowed out of the estate. Mr. Alabaster objected that the grounds of opposition had been held insufficient but His Lordship said that he would make the order asked for.

CHINA'S NEW TARIFF.

HISTORY OF ITALY'S OBJECTION.

PEKING, November 24.

It reported semi-officially that France has notified the Waichiaopu of its readiness to agree to the application for effective five per cent. customs duties. Thus Italy and Japan alone stand out. As regards Japan it is stated necessary legal procedure is proceeding satisfactorily, but the Italian stand is being maintained.

Perhaps, when the Sino-Austrian treaty was signed, Italy raised the question of disposal of three ships belonging to the Trieste company, contending that as Trieste had become Italian territory the ships should be handed over to Italy. China objected and Italy proposed arbitration to which China also objected. When the question of the five per cent. duties arose Italy said that inasmuch as China had refused arbitration regarding the ships, Italy could not agree to the customs increase.—*Reuter.*

DUELLING DE LUXE.

"THE THREE MUSKETEERS."

As a sequel to the production by Douglas Fairbanks of the film version of "The Three Musketeers" which is being shown at the Cosmopolitan next week, the black motion picture colony that centres around Hollywood has been thrilled by a new fad—fencing.

For three months prior to the making of the picture, every player chosen for a part had to take *fencing lessons from a former* world's champion swordsman. The purpose of this was to minimise the risk of accident during the filming of the production and also to make the swordsmanship look real on the screen. This was particularly necessary in the case of the actors who were to play the parts of that redoubtable trio Athos, Porthos and Aramis who, it will be recalled, do a deal of blade wielding in the course of the story. There are no less than sixteen duels depicted altogether and in one clash Fairbanks, who makes a spler did d'Artagnan, has, with the help of the doughty musketeers, to take on eight adversaries.

BOMB PLOT.

LOCAL WATCHMAKER'S STRIKE THREATS.

TWO MEN ARRESTED.

In connection with the watchmakers' strike, some jewellers' shops in Gough Street, received "mysterious" threats that unless a settlement was brought about by Friday night, their shops would be blown up.

The police having been informed, detectives were sent out on special duty and on Friday night two men were arrested with bombs in their possession.

About 11.15 p.m., on Friday two Chinese detectives noticed two men proceeding up Gough Street steps. One man carried under his arm what appeared to be a shoe box, while the other carried a gallon tin containing kerosene. The man with the shoe box was challenged by one of the detectives. When the lid of the box was removed, two bombs made of an empty cigarette tin and an empty fruit can respectively, were found inside. The lids of the tins were tied down with wire and to them were attached fuses about nine inches long. When the lids were removed, inside the tins were found two bottom portions of bottles in which were a stick of dynamite and a detonator. The men were taken into custody.

Yesterday the police took one of the men to No. 400, Shanghai Street, where he lived. His cubicle was searched and two revolvers and nine rounds of ammunition were discovered.

The two men, Ting Sang and Chan Heung, were produced before Mr. R. E. Lindsell this morning, charged together with the unlawful possession of the bombs. Chan was also charged with the possession of the revolvers and ammunition.

In asking for a formal remand, Detective Inspector J. Grant told the Magistrate that there would be a further charge of possession of explosives with the intent of causing damage to property to prefer against the defendants, at the next hearing.

A remand was given until next Saturday.

PIECE GOODS DISPUTE.

HONGKONG DEADLOCK CONTINUES.

The piecegoods dispute still remains at a deadlock although some of the native dealers have signified that they are willing to do business on the old contracts. Apparently, there are about half a dozen or so Chinese dealers who commenced the negotiations and remain obdurate. Meanwhile no new business has been reported but there have been steady clearances of goods previously sold. The dealers have not been slow to take advantage of the situation; although there are large stocks of "heavy goods" lying in the godown, prices have been put up. There is no brisk demand, the only goods that have been cleared to any extent being those required for immediate use. Wing On Street, where some of the piecegoods dealers are situated is still full of "cheap sale" posters and this goes to show that they are keen to get rid of their goods.

It has been stated that a few importers are ready to meet the dealers by part modification of their contracts but there are one or two clauses that cannot be relaxed except at a great risk. The majority of the importers, especially those with long-standing connections, are of the opinion that business can only be done on the old terms. There is very little probability of the dealers succeeding in making connections with the manufacturers direct or indenting on their own account as most of the standard lines are handled by agents, whose principals would never think of relinquishing the middleman". Then there is the question of bank credits to be arranged and another obstacle is the difficulty in finding representatives to make inspections prior to shipment. Some dealers have classed the importers' attitude as arbitrary, but it must be remembered that time and again, dealers have, when business was depressed, refused to accept goods or rendered claims under very paltry excuses. There have, also, been instances of importers refusing to entertain claims or offering amounts out of proportion to the loss suffered by deviation from the stipulations on the contracts. Both sides have their arguments without the other. At present, the importers do not want to do business under contracts that may not be sufficient safeguard and the dealers say no.

MOVEMENTS OF STEAMERS.

The T.K.K. s.s. "Siberia Maru" arrives at Yokohama on Nov. 21 and sails on Nov. 26 for Honolulu and San Francisco.

The P. & O. s.s. "Diomed" left Liverpool on Nov. 8 for straits, Hongkong, Shanghai, Kobe and Yokohama and is expected to arrive at this port on or about Dec. 23.

ARMS ARREST.

KOWLOON WHARF HAUL.

NOT SUFFICIENT EVIDENCE.

Lam Pui and Shek Cheung-fook, the two Chinese who were arrested last Saturday in connection with the big haul of arms and ammunition at the Kowloon wharf were yesterday afternoon discharged by Mr. R. E. Lindsell on the ground of insufficient evidence.

Chan Yeung, Chinese R. O. No 52, gave evidence of arrest bearing out Sub-Inspector Pincott's opening statement reported yesterday. The two suitcases in which the arms were found bore labels on which were typewritten "T. Hanson, stateroom No. 114. 'President Cleveland.'".

Mr. F. B. Dittman, purser of the ship gave evidence that stateroom No. 114 was not occupied either on the trip to or from Manila. Also, there had never been a passenger named "T. Hanson" on board.

Lam Kau, second runner of the King Edward Hotel, then explained the procedure adopted by him in boarding steamers. He stated that he carried with him blank cards of the hotel and these would be filled in by patrons whom he succeeded in obtaining, the information written thereon giving the name of the patron, his luggage, etc. When he boarded steamers there were usually one or two seamen of the hotel's launch accompanying him who would help in removing the patrons' baggage from the ship. The seamen also carried blank cards to be filled in. In this case the defendants boarded the "President Cleveland" with him, and he heard them shout out "A foreign passenger wants us." He later saw them stopped on the wharf whilst carrying two suit cases.

Questioned by the Magistrate witness said it was not an uncommon occurrence for the card to be filled in on the launch after the baggage had had been taken on board.

The Magistrate remarked at the conclusion of the evidence that he agreed with Mr d'Almeida's submission because it seemed to him that the importation was complete with the arrival of the ship here. It was a previous offence. He did not think that the defendants, in any case, could be said to aid and abet the importation even if it could be proved that they conveyed the arms ashore knowing what they were. It was doubtful. That being so, only the charge of possession remained. The evidence was that the men carried the suit cases which were particularly heavy and which they apparently obtained in the course of their ordinary duties. His Worship said there was not sufficient evidence.

Sub Inspector Pincott, who prosecuted, agreed, and the defendants were discharged. His Worship ordered the arms to be confiscated.

LATEST SHIPPING NEWS.

ARRIVALS.

Ahpittai, (Wai Hing & Co.) from Fort Bayard.—Co.'s Wharf.

Empress of Russia, (C.P.S. Ltd.) from Vancouver, Manila.—Kowloon Wharf.

Hydrangea, (Chin On) from Swatow.—Co.'s Wharf.

Uwajima Maru, (Y.K.K.) from Keelung.—Wanchai.

Yeizan Maru, (Kimura & Co.) from Keelung.—Wanchai.

West Prospect, (St & Barry) from Manila.—B26.

Calchas (B. & S.) from Liverpool Singapore.—Holt's Wharf.

Gallic Prince, (Furness & Co) from New York.—A5.

Kwangtee, (O.M.S.N) from Shanghai.—Co's Wharf.

Wanli, (Ching Kee) from Shanghai.—C42.

Chinhua, (B. & S.) from Canton.—C17.

Tjiparas, (J. C. J. L) from Sourabaya, Balikpapan.—North Pt.

DEPARTURES.

Luchow, (B. & S) for Canton—November 25.

Kojim Maru (M.B.K.) for Dairen, Tsingtao.—November 25.

Calchas, (B & S.) for Yokohama, Shanghai.—November 25.

Ascot, (Tuen Kee) for Amoy, Swatow.—November 25.

Saichou, (Yue Woo) for Hoihow.—November 25.

Kwangtee, (O.M.S.N.) for Canton.—November 25.

Tjikini, (J.C.J.L.) for Kobe, Shanghai.—November 25

Kishu Maru, (O.S.K.) for Keelung, Swatow.—November 26.

Taiyo Maru, (T.K.K.) for San Francisco, Keelung.—Nov. 25.

Wubu, (B. & S.) for Tientsin, Wei Hai Wei.—November 26.

Prosper, (Fok Tai Cheong) for Saigon.—November 26.

China, (China Mail) for San Francisco, Shanghai.—Nov. 27.

Hydrangea, (Chin On) for Swatow.—November 27.

WORLD THEATRE.

"THE OUTSIDE WOMAN".

A fire escape that is decidedly busy with the comings and goings of persons who are most anxious *not* to meet each other, starts a mirthful ball of fun rolling at the World theatre where the "Outside Woman", the latest Wanda Hawley picture for Realart opens to-morrow, Sunday for three days' stay. "The Outside Woman" is a clever domestic comedy, revolving around a giddy little wife whose love of selling things to the junk man gets her into a peck of trouble involving the dwellers in the apartment above, a jealous wife of Spanish extraction and an artist with a penchant for living models. The fire escape really ought to have special mention, as it is of great aid in the desperate plight of the various characters who wish to avoid compromising situations. Wanda Hawley is as easy to look at as usual, and enacts the star role with all that dimpled mischievousness which has bought her such a big share of popularity. Big, goodlooking Clyde Fillmore is convincing as the doctor husband, while Sidney Bracey makes a properly amusing third angle of a most unexpected triangle. A new comer, Rosita Marstini, a famous Belgian beauty adds spice as Bracey's wife.

TO-DAY'S ADVERTISEMENTS.

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SHANGHAI AND PUKOW	LUCHOW	Nov. 27th 4 p.m.
SHANGHAI AND TSINGTAO	LIANGCHOW	Nov. 28th D'light.
SWATOW AND BANGKOK	KIANGAN	Nov. 28th 10 a.m.
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SWATOW AND AMOY	KUNGCHOW	Nov. 28th 4 p.m.
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AMOY AND SHANGHAI	SUIYANG	Nov. 30th D'light.
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Peak Hotel	1305
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Bowen Rd. (filterbeds	393
MAINLAND.	
Taimoshan	3124
Kowloon Peak	1971
Lion Rock	1645
Shatin Pass	1000
Customs Pass	780
Devil's Peak	724

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The B. F. s.s. "Calchas" left Liverpool on Oct. 23 for Straits, Hongkong Shanghai and Japan and is due here on, or about Nov. 26.

The N.Y.K. s.s. "Awa Maru" (Bombay Line) left Singapore for Hongkong on Nov. 20 and is expected here on Nov. 28.

The P. M. s.s. "President Wilson" is due here at about 3 p.m. to-day Nov. 25. She will be despatched for Manila at p.m. on Monday Nov. 27 and will arrive at that port on Wednesday at daylight.

The E. & A. s.s. "Eastern" left Moji for this port on Nov. 22 at evening and is due here on Nov. 27 at about daylight.

The C. M. s.s. "China" will be despatched for San Francisco via Shanghai, Nagasaki, Yokohama and Honolulu on Monday, Nov. 27 at noon.

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The B. F. s.s. "Noleus" from Liverpool left Singapore on Nov. 23 for this port and is due here on Nov. 29.

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The B. F. s.s. "Mentor" left Liverpool on Nov. 4 for Singapore, Hongkong and Shanghai and is expected to arrive here on or about Dec. 6.

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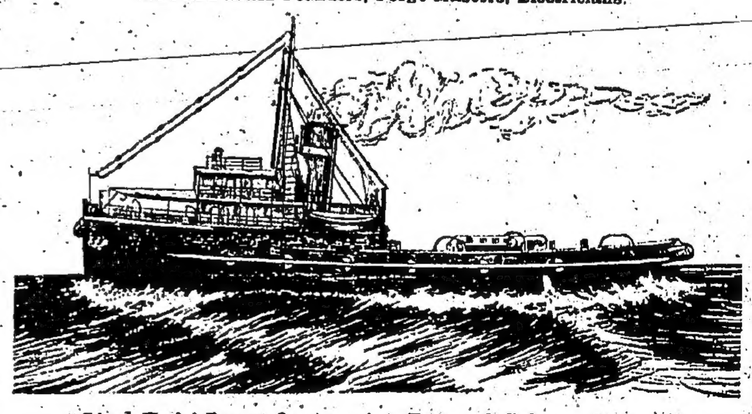

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"KASHGAR"	9,600	27th Dec.	B'bay, Marseilles, L'don, A'werp.
"PLASSY"	7,393	16th Jan. 1923	MARSEILLES, LONDON & A'werp.
"SARDINIA"	6,580	24th Jan.	do.
"NELLORE"	6,853	7th Feb.	do.
"DELTA"	8,000	7th Feb.	do.
"KHIVA"	9,100	21st Feb.	do.
"MOREA"	11,000	7th Mar.	B'bay, Marseilles, L'don A'werp.
"KASHMIR"	8,600	21st Mar.	MARSEILLES, LONDON & A'werp.
"DONGOLA"	9,000	4th Apr.	do.
"NANKIN"	7,600	18th Apr.	do.
"KARMALA"	9,000	2nd May	do.
"KASHGAR"	9,600	16th May	do.
"NYANZA"	7,000	30th May	do.

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Nov. 25.—E. A. Bintang.
Dec. 10.—E. A. Banka.

FROM JAPAN.
Nov. 28.—J.C.J.L. Tjisalak.

FROM MANILA.
Nov. 29.—U.S.S.B. West Faralon.
Dec. 13.—U.S.S.B. Apus.

FROM JAVA.
Nov. 29.—U.S.S.B. West Faralon.
Dec. 13.—U.S.S.B. Apus.

FROM SINGAPORE.
Nov. 26.—N.Y.K. Awa Maru.
29.—S. & B. West Faralon.
Dec. 13.—U.S.S.B. Apus.

FROM BOMBAY.
Nov. 26.—N.Y.K. Awa Maru.

FROM CALCUTTA.
Nov. 26.—N.Y.K. Tatelshi Maru.
Dec. 3.—N.Y.K. Tosa Maru.

FROM SYDNEY AND MELBOURNE
Nov. 27.—E. & A. Eastern.
Dec. 1.—A. O. Taiyuan.
9.—E. & A. Arafura.
30.—A. O. Changsha.

FROM SOUTH AMERICAN PORTS.
Nov. 28.—N.Y.K. Kawachi Maru.

FROM PORTLAND.
Nov. 28.—Col. P. S. Eastern Sailor.
Jan. 20.—Col. P. S. Pawlet.
30.—Col. P. S. Wavalona.

FROM VANCOUVER.
Nov. 30.—B. F. Talthybius.
Dec. 29. B. F. Tyndareus.
Jan. 18.—B. F. Protesilaus.
Feb. 15.—B. F. Achilles.
Mar. 8.—B. F. Talthybius.
Apr. 19.—B. F. Protesilaus.

FROM SEATTLE.
Nov. 30.—B. F. Talthybius.
Dec. 29.—B. F. Tyndareus.
Jan. 18.—B. F. Protesilaus.
Feb. 15.—B. F. Achilles.
Mar. 8.—B. F. Talthybius.
Apr. 19.—B. F. Protesilaus.

FROM LOS ANGELOS.
Jan. 3.—U.S.S.B. West Chopaka.

FROM SAN FRANCISCO.
Jan. 3.—U.S.S.B. West Chopaka.

FROM NEW YORK.
Nov. 24.—P. L. Gaelic Prince.

FROM EUROPEAN PORTS.
Nov. 26.—B. F. Philoctetes.
Dec. 2.—P. & O. Plassy.
2.—P. & O. Sicilia.
16.—P. & O. Sardinia.
20.—H.A.L. Preussen.
30.—P. & O. Nellore.
Jan. 13.—P. & O. Delta.
27.—P. & O. Kalyan.
Feb. 10.—P. & O. Kashmir.
24.—P. & O. Dongola.
Mar. 10.—P. & O. Nankin.
24.—P. & O. Karmala.
Apr. 7.—P. & O. Khiva.
21.—P. & O. Kashgar.

FROM LONDON.
Nov. 29.—G. L. Carnarvonshire.
29.—B. F. Neleus.
Dec. 3.—P. & O. Plassy.
3.—P. & O. Sicilia.
16.—G. L. Glenbeg.
16.—P. & O. Sardinia.
30.—P. & O. Nellore.
Jan. 1.—G. L. Glensanda.
4.—P. & O. Khiva.
15.—P. & O. Delta.
27.—P. & O. Kalyan.
28.—B. I. Morea.
Feb. 10.—P. & O. Kashmir.
24.—P. & O. Dongola.
Mar. 10.—P. & O. Nankin.
24.—P. & O. Karmala.
Apr. 7.—P. & O. Khiva.
21.—P. & O. Kashgar.

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Nov. 30.—B. F. Neleus.
Dec. 3.—B. F. Elpenor.
6.—B. F. Mentor.
22.—B. F. Kenmun.
23.—B. F. Diomed.
28.—B. F. Machaon.
Jan. 10.—B. F. Singchow.
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STRAITS and CALCUTTA	KUTSANG	Sat.,	9th Dec., 3 p.m.
TSINGTAU via SWATOW & SHANGHAI	HANGSANG	Sun.,	10th Dec., D'light.
TSINGTAU via SWATOW & SHANGHAI	YATSHING	Thurs.,	14th Dec., 10 a.m.
SANDAKAN	MAUSANG	Thurs.,	14th Dec., Noon.
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CHURCH NOTES.

THE TWENTY-FOURTH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY.

One of the prophecies of Jeremiah is taken for to-morrow's Epistle foretelling Incarnation. The Church has appointed this reading for the last Sunday in her year as a heralding of the Advent preparation for the birth of the Saviour, "The Lord our Righteousness." And when we read this Epistle we must remember that all the Old Testament prophecies connected with the Incarnation are also foreshadowings of the Day of Judgment.

The Church calls special attention to to-morrow's Gospel for *twice* in the year she appoints that at Holy Communion, this miracle of the feeding of the five thousand shall be read, seeking to impress upon us its deep spiritual meaning. The people were in a desert place. We are strangers and pilgrims. They needed food We need the sustaining Life of Christ. Jesus used the material things at hand, the loaves and fishes. He co-operated with the disciples making them the distributors of the food. Now he uses bread and wine and His ministers feed His people in the Sacrament of the Altar.

Our Lord allowed a young boy to help Him. He gave all he had and in Christ's hands after the blessing it was changed and became enough food for five thousand hungry people—more than enough, for after they were all quite satisfied twelve large baskets of broken pieces were gathered up God alone knows the value of what we bring to Him and in His hands it can be blessed a thousand times. Still, to day, He uses bread, blessing and changing it, giving under its lowly form His own Body, and saying to all who come to His feast "I am the Bread of Life, he that cometh to Me shall never hunger and he that believeth on Me shall never thirst.

St. Andrew is the Patron Saint of Scotland. He died on November 30 and this day is usually kept by a ceaseless chain of intercession, for foreign missions, as he was the first missionary. He first findeth his own brother and saith unto him "we have found Messias." After Christ's Ascension, Andrew preached through Scythia, Sebastopol, Byzantium, and many other places, at last suffering martyrdom at Patrae. The Proconsul of Achaia was visiting Patrae at this time and seeing how many of the people were being converted to Christianity, his anger was roused and he used every kind of cruelty to punish those who refused to worship idols, his anger reaching fever point when he discovered that his wife Maximilla and her brother having been cured by St. Andrew of dangerous diseases had also embraced the Faith.

He sent for Andrew and commanded him to offer sacrifices to the deities of the Empire. St. Andrew replied that every day he offered the Sacrifice of the Immaculate Son of God, so he was thrown into prison. But the people loved him so much that there would have been a riot had not St. Andrew begged them to follow the example of the humility and meekness of Jesus. Sentence of death being passed on him he was scourged, seven lictors whipping his naked body. Then he was fastened to a cross, not by nails but by cords so that his death might be a more lingering one. As he approached the cross he cried out "Hail, precious Cross, that hast been consecrated by the Body of my Lord, and adorned with His limbs as with rich jewels. I come to thee, exulting and glad; receive me with joy into thy arms." He hung on the cross for two days and two nights, all the while teaching and instructing the people, also praying that he might die for he feared that the importunity of the people who kept on begging the Consul to spare his life, might be successful, and he longed, as did all the Saints, to seal his confession with his blood. His prayer was granted and he died suddenly on the last day of November, It was in the early half of the Fourth century that Scotland honoured him as her Patron. His relics were brought to Scotland and on the site where they were buried, the Cathedral of St. Andrew was subsequently built.

"All that is great is born of silence."

Reading of retreats at Home makes one wish that here in Hongkong people had more opportunity of attending Retreats, or failing that "Quiet Days," for it has been truly said "The spiritual life consists in a series of fresh beginnings." It is in the silence of a Retreat that the listening soul hears the voice of God, calling him to renewed love and service, and no one can doubt the value of such times of withdrawal from the world, (that those returning may serve the world better.) who recalls the words of Christ "Come ye apart into a desert place and rest awhile."

What is Conversion?

A most interesting discussion on this subject took place in Sheffield during the Congress, the meeting being divided in opinion as to the normality of conversion, The Archbishop of York tried to bring the two aspects together by saying that the whole Christian life was a process of conversion. "There was no need," he said, "to discuss whether those who had had a sudden conversion had some thing to be ashamed of, nor whether those who had not had it were defective."

A very different view from the usually accepted one, was presented, by Dr. Inge who dealt with the historic conversions of St. Augustine and St. Paul. Speaking of the latter he said. "to suppose that a vision in the sky altered his whole character would surely be to disparage the greatness of one of the greatest men who ever lived." Again he spoke of conversions in the Salvation Army, saying "Most of these conversions are reclamations of drunkards who resolve then and there never to touch another drop and often keep their resolution. But as a rule, conviction of sin is less important as an element in conversion than is often supposed. The attraction of goodness is felt first then comes the will to realize it."

Dr. Brown, a well known physician and specialist on mental diseases, disagreed with Dr. Inge that conversion was unnecessary in religious experience, defining it "as the process which begins in a man when he begins to appreciate what is meant by the divine."

Dr. Watts Ditchfield, the Diocesan Missioner of Sheffield, Mr. Pike Pease, President of the Church Army, and others of great experience addressed the meeting, but perhaps the most striking speech was that delivered by Dr. Locke. He told them that it is not easy to convert men, that a character is needed in which a sinner can place his confidence. He gave the story of a poor woman whose daughter had gone wrong and who never afterwards locked the door at night, in the hope her child would return and so said he, "must we keep the doors of our hearts unlocked".

HONGKONG TIDES.

The tide-table given below has been compiled at the National Almanac Office in London from the result of the analysis of observations taken by means of an automatic tide-recording machine in the Water Police Basin at Tsim Sha Tsui during the years 1908-9.

The zero of the table corresponds with the zero of the sounding in the Admiralty chart, which has been found to be 4 feet inches below mean sea level

To obtain the depth of water on the tide gauge at the Victoria Naval Yard add 3 feet 4 inches, and on the gauge at Lamont Dock, Aberdeen, add 13 feet 4 inches to the height given in the table

November 20 to 26.

		High Water		Low Water	
Day of Week	Day of Month	Standard Time	Height	Hongkong Standard Time	Height
		h m	feet	h m	feet
Mon.	20	m 10 [illegible]	[illegible]	m [illegible]	[illegible]
		[illegible] a	[illegible]	[illegible] a	[illegible]
Tues.	21	m 11 40	[illegible]	m [illegible]	[illegible]
		10 [illegible] a	[illegible]	[illegible] a	[illegible]
Wed.	22	0 [illegible] a	[illegible]	m [illegible]	[illegible]
		11 [illegible] a	[illegible]	[illegible] a	[illegible]
Thur.	23	1 41 a	[illegible]	m 6 16	[illegible]
		11 51 a	[illegible]	6 [illegible] a	[illegible]
Fri.	24	2 41 a	[illegible]	m 7 3	[illegible]
				7 [illegible] a	[illegible]
Sat.	25	m 3 40	[illegible]	m 8 [illegible]	[illegible]
		2 50 a	[illegible]	8 [illegible] a	[illegible]
Sun.	26	m 4 32	[illegible]	m 9 10	[illegible]
		3 50 a	[illegible]	9 [illegible] a	[illegible]

CHILDREN'S CORNER.

THE TALKING SCOOTER.

Alec had been given a scooter for his birthday and he was so pleased with it that he hardly liked it to be out of his sight. He took it to school and there left it outside in a safe place where he could see it from the window and when he left it outside his house he tied it up to a fence with a piece of rope. His friends were allowed to ride on it in turns as a treat for he was very generous with all his belongings, however fond of them he was.

One night soon after he had gone to bed for no reason whatever he suddenly woke up.

The moon was shining brightly so that outside it was almost as light as day.

"What fun it would be to go for a run on my scooter," thought Alec, "Everyone must be asleep and I could go so fast without bumping into anyone or anything on the way."

This seemed to be rather a good idea and he had half put one foot out of bed when he thought how cold it might be outside and that he would have to put on his clothes, which seemed rather a nuisance.

Then he thought again of the delightful feeling of rushing along on the scooter, up hill and down hill and tearing round corners, very likely without meeting a soul. Without any more hesitation he sprang out of bed, pulled on his socks, slipped into his clothes and ran downstairs, doing up buttons as he went.

In the porch verandah by the front door stood the scooter and Alec quickly unlocked the front door and lifted it down the steps. Then off he went, enjoying every minute of it and by and by he was going down hill and was tearing along at full speed. It was a windy night and great gusts blew by him, yet he seemed to go even faster than the wind.

On and on he went until he was almost breathless. Then—to his great surprise the scooter began to sing in a low humming voice:—

"On, on, on I fear,
Rushing, scooting everywhere,
Faster than the fastest wind,
Trees and houses left behind.
Master, hold on very tight
Or you might get such a fright,
Now we fly across the sea,
Hold on very tight to me."

Alec was so astonished that he clutched the scooter hard and it was a lucky thing that he did so for the next minute it went right up in the air with a bound and Alec saw that they had left the land and, far beneath them, the waves were dashing on the shore.

On they went until Alec felt that he would drop off any minute and his hands were becoming quite numb. Then, to his relief, they were back on the land again, gliding smoothly along.

They went down long straight roads with rows of poplar trees on each hand and in the distance he could see a number of windmills.

"Oh I wish that I could see some people," said Alec to himself, "It seems rather lonely here."

When he had started out he had wanted to have the whole place to himself but now he had grown rather tired of it.

Just as he said this, strangely enough, he passed by a cottage and the door opened and a woman came out and looked up and down the road as if she were expecting someone. She was dressed in bright blue and she had on a big white apron and a white cap which came down over her head like a bonnet and she wore wooden shoes which went clip-clop as she walked.

"Why," gasped Alec, "It is a Dutch woman. I must be in Holland. Fancy having come all that way!"

He tried to stop his scooter so that he could speak to the Dutch woman and he pulled up with such a jerk that he pitched right over on to his head. Everything seemed to go black and when he opened his eyes again he was back in his own bed and Holland and the Dutch woman had disappeared.

PETER PAN.

RIDDLE-ME-REE.

My first is in second but not in first,
My next is in cup but not in thirst,
In honey my third one may be found,
Whilst my fourth is in oval and also in round,
My fifth is in ant but not in fly,
My sixth in lemon you'll find if you try,
My last is in present, not by and by.

My whole Father Christmas may bring you one day,
And then on your—you'll ride far away.

The answer I nearly let out as you see!
When you've guessed it just please kindly write and tell me.

PETER PAN.

WORLD'S SUGAR SUPPLY AND DEMAND FOR 1922

Figures given in tons of 2,240 Pounds.
Per Capita Consumption given in Pounds.

WESTERN HEMISPHERE.

	Supplies available from crops.	Available for export.	Require import	Estimated population.	Total Consumption.	Consumption per Capital Lbs.
NORTH AMERICA						
United States	1.888.000		2.682.000	109.000.000	4.770.000	98
Canada	18.500		327.200	8.800.000	345.700	88
Mexico	120.000		24.000	16.000.000	144.000	20
Centr. America	35.000	12.000		5.500.000	23.000	9
Cuba	5,160.000	5.000.000		3.100.000	160.000	115
Haiti & Sant. D.	174.000	166.000		2.700.000	8.000	6.2
Brit. W. Indies	150.000	144.000		1.800.000	6.000	7.5
French W. Indies	40.000	39.000		400.000	1.000	5.5
	7.585.500	5.361.000	3.233.200	147.300.000	5.457.700	
SOUTH AMERICA						
Brazil	325.000	125.000		22.000.000	200.000	20
Argentina	175.000		45 000	8.700.000	220 000	57
Peru	325.000	287.000		3.500.000	38.000	21.5
Venezuela	15.000			3.000.000	15 000	11
Colombia	15.000	5.000		5.000.000	10.000	4.5
Ecuador	7.000		7.000	1.300 000	14.000	24
Paraguay	4.000	1.000		1 000.000	3.000	6.6
Brit. Guiana	90.000	89.000		300.000	1.000	7.5
Dutch Guiana	12.000	11.700		160.000	300	6.5
Other South A.			80.000	8.200.000	80.000	22
Total	958.000	518.700	132.000	53.100 000	581.300	
Total West Hemisphere	8.553.500	5.878.700	3.219.200	200.400 000	6.039.000	67.2

EASTERN HEMISPHERE.

	Supplies available from crops.	Available for export.	Require import	Estimated population.	Total Consumption.	Consumption per Capital Lbs.
EUROPE						
Great Britain	10.000		1590.000	48.500.000	1.600.000	71
France	425.000		1,51.700	38.000.000	576.000	36
Germany	1.300.000		200.000	61.000.000	1.500 000	55
Czecho Slovakia	600.000	400.000		14.000.000	200.000	32
Poland	200.000	10.000		30.000.000	190 000	14
Netherlands	275 000	75.000		6.600.000	200 000	68
Belgium	275.000	125.000		7.500 000	150.000	44
Denmark	142 000		8.000	3.200.000	150.000	98
Sweden	175.000		25.000	6.000.000	200.000	74.5
Italy	200.000			40.000.000	200 000	12
Spain	150.000			20 500.000	150 000	17
Switzerland	5.000		130.000	4.000.000	185 000	75
Hungary	60.000		20.000	10.000.000	80 000	18
Austria	20.000		50.000	6 500.000	70 000	24
Rumania	40.000		45.000	15.000.000	85.000	13
Bulgaria	15.000		10.000	4.500.000	25.000	12 5
Jugoslavia	35.000		40.000	14 500 000	75.000	12
Russia and minor.	100.000		260.000	160.000.000	360.000	5
States of East, Europe						
Other Europe			133.000	24.700.000	133 000	12
Total	4 027.000	610.000	2.602.700	514.500.000	6.079.700	
AFRICA						
Egypt	100 000	20.000		12.800.00	80.000	27
Mauritius	206.000	204.000		385.000	2.000	12
Reunion	39 000	38 800		60.000	200	7
Mozambique	52.000	51 000		365.000	1.000	7
South Africa	150.000			6.000.000	150.000	56
Other Africa			28.500	124.000.000	28.500	0.5
Total	547.000	313.800	28.500	143 610.000	261.700	
THE FAR EAST						
India	2.592.000		554.700	320.000 000	3.146 700	22
Java	1.637.000	1.177.000		36.000 000	460.000	28
Japan & Form	350.000		175.000	78.250.000	525.000	15
China	350.000		450.000	400.000.000	800.000	4.5
Philip. Islands	250 000	140.000		10.000.000	110.000	23.7
Other Asia			125.000	76.000.000	125.000	4
Australasia and Fiji	360.000	20.000		7.500.000	340.000	100
Total	5 539.000	1.337.000	1.304.700	927.750.000	5.506 700	
Total East Hemisphere	10,113.000	2.260.800	3.995.900	1.586.210.000	11.882.700	16
Grand Total	18.566 500.	8.139.500	7.215.100	1.786.610.000	17.921.100	22.4

(Facts about sugar, August 26, 1922.)

FOOTBALL.

ASSOCIATION MEETING.

A meeting of the Hongkong Football Association was held at Victoria Barracks last evening. Mr. R. J. Wilton presided over a large attendance of representatives of the affiliated clubs, and many referees.

Mr. F. T. James, hon. secretary, informed the meeting that Mr. C. H. Blake had resigned his position as Division II Secretary.

The Submarines withdrew from the Leagues.

Donovan, R.G.A. was transferred to the Hongkong Club and Banner, Club to Kowloon.

Woodman, "Tamar," was permitted to play for Kowloon; Sadler, "Magnolia" to play for "Tamar," Derry and Chilton, R A M.C. to play for United A C.

Davis and Carter, "Amtrose," were reinstated to Division II.

The match played at Weihaiwei between "Hawkins" and "Despatch" was allowed to stand as a League match, the result being a draw, one all.

A claim for the points by the Fleet Auxiliaries against the University for failing to turn out on November 11, was not approved; the date for the match to be re-arranged by the Secretary, and the University to pay Referees' fees.

The South China Secretary reported that the goal nets had been repaired, following the report of the referee in the Club-South China match.

The meeting decided that the closing date for receiving entries for the Hongkong Challenge Shield Competition should be December 31, and a letter of thanks to the H.K.F.C. for handing over the shield was agreed upon.

CRICKET.

INTER-HONG MATCH.

An Inter-Hong Cricket Match will be played to-day between teams representing Ewo and Taikoo on the ground of the Chinese Recreation Club at Causeway Bay which has been kindly lent by the Committee for the occasion. The match will commence at 2 p.m. sharp. Teams:—

Taikoo XI—S. D. Begg, G. A. Chadwick, R. M. Chaloner, J. D. H. Crawford, B. Crowley, E. G England. A. L. Gace (capt.); E. C. Hagen, J. M. Kaye, H. W. Roger, H. Spicer.

Ewo XI.—E. F. Aucott, W. Brackenridge, W. B. Cornaby, W. Galloway, T. H. Gotch, H. E. Hollands (capt.), J. G. Lyon, W. W. Mackenzie, G. H. Piercy, N. L. H. Railton and P. Tod.

A second division challenge trophy is being put up this year. Entries close on December 31.

With a view to arranging an Interport Contest, the Chairman and Secretary interviewed Mr. Clifford, one of the Interport Cricketers who is an official of the Shanghai Football Association. Mr. Clifford promised to lay the facts before his Association, on his return to Shanghai, and to communicate the results in due course.

A report on the conduct of Carter, of the "Despatch," was referred to the Referee's Board. A report on the conduct of four players in the South China "Tamar" match was read and the Secretaries of both Clubs regretted the incidents and promised to bring the report to the notice of the defaulters.

It was decided to play the International match Scotland, v. England, on the Club ground on Boxing Day, in aid of Local Charities.

HONGKONG TRADE.

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE REPORT.

The fortnightly report issued by the Hongkong General Chamber of Commerce states:—

Cotton piece goods and fancy cotton goods.—There is a general enquiry for Woollens and there are buyers of Venetians and Prints. A certain amount of business has been effected but many orders are in abeyance pending a settlement of the Standard form of Contract. Greys and Whites remained moribund.

Cotton Yarn.—The Chinese having satisfied their requirements, the market ruled very quiet and, notwithstanding the depreciation of exchange, our values ruled slightly on the easy side.

Quotations are:—No. 10s $153/-175. No. 12s $160/178. No. 16s. $180/195. No 20s. $173/197. Arrivals 7,500. Shipments nil. Sales 2,000 bales. Unsold stock 7,000 bales. Bargains 10,000 bales.

Woollens.—The woollen market is firm. There has been some small lots of serges, herringbones etc. sold but on he whole the local market is quiet.

Raw Cottons.—In the absence of stocks, quotations are nominally as follows:—Indian descriptions at $30 35. Chinese grades at $32 38

Metals. Business has again been quiet. Clearances to the consuming districts have been restricted, the unrest in Kwong Si being mainly responsible. Small lots of Wire Nails have been done 1-1½ in. specification at $9.50. Steel Bars are reported to have been done as low as $4 40. Steel Plate Cuttings are enquired for at $3.50 to $3 60 without finding sellers.

Flour market report. Stock: About 700 000 sacks.

Quotations:

American Patent $3.70 per sack; American Straight $2 80 per sack; American Cut off $2.90 per sack; Shanghai Flour $2.90 per sack; Australian No. 1 $3.00 per sack.

Java Sugar.—Market steady.

Philippine Sugar.—Market active.

Saltpetre.—Heavy drop in Rupee Exchange has considerably strengthened our market.

LOCAL SUGAR MARKET.

The fall in Java exchange has caused the rise in sugar prices to be sustained. At any rate, two of the biggest Chinese importers here, Kiem Tjiang Han and Wing Yee Cheong were buying in the local market quite recently. Their action was interpreted by sugar men as though still higher prices were anticipated and speculators immediately followed suit. Most of the transactions were for spot goods, *i.e.*, clearance within a month and very little forward delivery, *i.e.*, goods to arrive, was closed, this being probably due to the China New Year not being far off. However, clearances have not been above the average, the recent transactions merely entailing a change of ownership without the goods being shipped away. Shipments of the usual grades of Fine Whites and some Philippine Brown to North China and Yangtsze ports have been fairly regular. Prices have moved up accordingly at Canton but the dealers there are treating with transport difficulties. The most pleasing feature is that some lots of "old coop" have been moved as they were bought months ago at much lower prices. Although most dealers predict higher prices yet, the features usually noticed with a brisk market are missing. That is to say, there is not the increased volume of business one would expect and speculators have parted with holdings at from twenty to thirty cents per picul below Nam Pak Hong quotations; the latter does not usually happen when a real boom is on. Yesterday afternoon's Nam Pak Hong quotations were as follows:—Java No. 24 Rough white $9.83; Java Fine white $10.25 to $10.40; Java No. 18 Rough Brown $8.73; Browns $7.40 to $7.50 per picul.

Very little rice has been landed into godowns from incoming ships to await sale. What has arrived has all been sold for delivery "ex ship." Some of the large junks that carry rice to Canton have been requisitioned and shipments are curtailed accordingly. Business was done yesterday by the big importers at the following prices:—

No. 1 Siam $7.30; Medium No. 1 Siam $7.40; No. 2 Siam $6.20; No. 1 Saigon Long $6.15; and No. 2 $5 75, per picul.

FLOUR.

The previous large amounts of flour in Hongkong have been gradually reduced and only a normal stock is now carried. Java has been buying and on the whole prices have been maintained. Shanghai flour, which was prominent here during the war is practically unprocurable in large quantities now as it cannot compete with either American or Australian flour. A fair amount of business was done in the following brands yesterday at the prices mentioned:—"Sperry's XXX" $3.60; "Big Gun" $3.05; White Greens" $2.80; and "C. & C." $2.80 per quarter sack of 50 lbs.

CHURCH NOTICES.

A CHARGE OF ONE DOLLAR IS MADE FOR ALL NOTICES UNDER THIS HEADING.

ST. JOHN'S CATHEDRAL.

HONGKONG 26TH NOVEMBER, 1922.
24TH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY.

Holy Communion at 8 a.m.
Matins 11 a.m.
Responses, Ferial; Venite, Turle (13th); Psalms, 147 Battishill, 148 Battishill; Te Deum, Oakeley, Turle, Tallis (2nd day); Benedictus, Garrett; Anthem, "O praise God." Blair; Hymns, 193.
Heading Service (12 noon).
Evensong (6 p.m.)
Responses, Ferial; Psalms; 144, Turle (30th), 150 Humphreys (31st); Magnificat, Smart; Nunc Dimittis, Foster; Hymns, 277 230, 283.

Wesleyan Church, Queen's Road.

Opposite Royal Naval Hospital, Wanchai.

Sunday, 26th November, 1922.

10.15 a.m. Divine Service and Naval and Garrison Church Parade. Hymns and Chant, 28, Venite, 867, 205, 241. Subject:—"Religion and the Bible." 6 p.m. Service. Hymns, 71, 95, 624, 603, 644. Subject:—"Dean Inge on Conversion." Preacher, Rev. C. Cloughton Porri. H.C.E.S. 3 p.m. Sunday School with illustrated blackboard address. Friday, 5.45 p.m. Choir Practice. Preliminary Notice, Sunday, 3rd Dec. Foreign Missionary Anniversary 8 p.m. Special preacher, Mr Sizo, Headmaster of the Canton Christian College, Monday, 5 p.m. Public tea at 5 p.m. followed by meeting, speaker Mr Sizo.
Wesleyan Sailors' and Soldiers' Home, Arsenal Street Sunday, 8.15 p.m. Chaplain's Meeting and Social Hour. Wednesday, 8 p.m. Wesley Guild. Display by Girl Guides and Brownies. Friday Club night, 8 p.m. to 10 p.m.

Union Church, Kennedy Road.

Sunday, November 26th 1922.
Morning Service, at 11 a.m.
Evening Service, at 6 p.m.
Preacher: Rev. J. Kirk Macconachie, Sunday School, at 3.30 p.m. Christain Endeavour Meeting on Friday, 8.30 p.m.

University Students' Services Association.

(Rhenish Mission Church, Bonham Road.)

Sunday, November 26th 1922, at 7.30 p.m.

Hymns: 391 "Onward, Christian Soldiers."
165 "O God, our help in ages past"
Anthem: "Star of Bethlehem."
Soloist: Dr. J. Fenton, Ph. D
Preacher: Mr. N. Teesdale Mackintosh, M.A., (Registrar of the University of Hongkong).
Subject: "The Chinese Republic."

St. Andrew's Church, Nathan Road, Kowloon.

26th November, 1922.

24th Sunday after Trinity.

8.15 a.m. Holy Communion.
11 a.m. Morning Prayer and Sermon.
2.45 p.m. Bible Class and Sunday School.
6 p.m. Evening Prayer and Sermon.

St. Peter's Church, West Point.

Sunday, November, 26th 1922.
8 a.m. Holy Communion.
11 a.m. Matins.
Preacher: Rev. H. du T. Pyner.

First Church of Christ, Scientist, MacDonnell Road. Below Bowen Road.

Tram Station.
Sunday, 11.15 a.m.
Wednesday, 5.45 p.m.

MAN GIVEN GIRL OF 13.

COURT STORY OF MOTHER'S ACT.

An allegation that a girl of 13 had been given away to a young man by her mother was made at a Juvenile Court at Scarborough.

It was stated that the mother has left the town with a man with whom she has been living.

Inspector Parry, of the National Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children, said that on the Friday he found the girl in a common lodging-house. She had been there a fortnight. A man of 24 said that the mother had given the girl to him. He did not know where the mother had gone.

The girl was remanded to the workhouse.

PASSENGERS.

ARRIVALS.

Per C.P.S. R.M.S. "Empress of Canada" on Nov. 24:—Mr and Mrs K. E. L. Barlow, Maj. E. V. Benjamin, Mr and Mrs J. E. Chute, Mr L. S. Clark, Mrs H. B. Jermain, Master D. Jermain, Miss P. Jermain, Mr and Mrs G. W. Jones, Misses N. Jones K. B. Jones, Mrs F. G. Lofen Mr E. G. Pattle, Mrs R. A. Pattle, Mr W. E. Van Eps, Miss E. Waddell, Mr. and Mrs J. Cox, Mr E. H. Adams, Misses A. M. Cochran, E. V. Hadley, Dr. and Mrs G. L. Cole, Mr and Mrs W. W. Coolidge, Misses, S. Mills, Gavagan, Mrs Johnstone, Mr and Mrs F. C. Hall, Mrs A. Hocking, Misses S. Hocking, D. E. Kent M. E. Lysaught, F. Dixon, Mrs B. H. Moore, Mrs V. Witner, Mrs G. A. Ralphs, Miss A. Ralphs, Mrs C. O. Rust, Mrs K. G. Miller, Mr J. T. Sandon, Mr and Mrs V. Smith, Mrs Stanton, Mr and Mrs W. C. Taintor, Misses Taintor, C. Taintor, Mr P. Tester, Dr and Mrs W. A. Tudor, Mr W. J. B. Waite, Mrs C. M. White, Messrs J. W. Wilson, M. M. Axelrod, F. J. Barth, Mrs P. H. Barth, Mr E. Rommer, Miss K. Bredden, Messrs E. J. Brown, H. Eadie, S. Endo, S. J. Gabsdon, Mr and Mrs J. W. Howells, Miss S. Jackson, Mr C. H. Keys, Mr and Mrs W. A. Kincaid, Master W. Kincaid, Mr S. G. Kirkland, Mr M. Matute, Miss F. Johnston, Mr G. M. Miller, Mr and Mrs P. O. Miller, Misses M. Mercardo, Fernandez, C. Laragoza, Mr L. Ogura Mr J. A. Pietschi, Mr and Mrs Robinson, Mr Y. Sakata, Mr and Mrs C. E. Schell, Miss A. Sprauge, Mr and Mrs L. R. Stadtmiller, Mr T. Takata, Miss B. Talambiras, Mr N. C. Wilson, Mrs D. Wilson, Misses E. R. Wheeler, E. R. Van Brunt, Mr S. P. White, Misses B. Windham, Wood, Mrs Wood, Mrs L. Sholtz, Messrs E. Wood, C. Wood, R. Laragoza, Mrs T. M. Laragoza, Master J. Laragoza, Mr Kin Fon Say, Rev. and Mrs B. D. Bawden, Master J. Bryson, Rev. and Mrs P. Hinkey, Miss Amy Law, Mrs S. Rosenzweig, Mr Joe Mon Chow, Mr and Mrs Toong Huie, Mr Tso Yu Wai, Mr and Mrs J. C. Railton, Mrs F. Sprague, Mrs M. S. Gallin Miss M. T. Gallin, Mr A. J. Gerber, Mr E. Jones, Rev. and Mrs G. J. Geis, Mr Yam Lunn Lu, Mr Chan Chiu, Mr Sy Lieng, Mrs T. A. Hernandez, Master B. Hernandez, Mr Tin Kee Chow, Mr Ah Chong Foo, Mr Lian So, Mrs Lau Lou, Master Yao Ho Yang, Master Yao Yan Yang, Master Yao Lai Yang, Dr. C. Y. Banfill, Mr A. S Curtis, Mr F. Von Printz, Mr Yee Chu, Mr Ah Phoy Kwong, Mr Shuipo Yang, Mr Pak Yeung Lo, Mr G. G. Mc Pherson, Mr S. Yoshimura, Mrs V. Sancho, Miss Yu Tong, Mr Wai Ng, Mr Tsan Woo, Mr N. Inai, Mrs P. N. Joseph Miss K. Joseph, Master N. Joseph, Miss I. Joseph, Mr F. Diaz.

DEPARTURES.

Per P. M. s.s. "President Cleveland" on Nov. 25 for San Francisco:—Mr Marion H. Biggs Miss Margaret Cavanaugh, Mr Carlos Chang, Mr Chang Chiu, Mrs Chung Shee, Mr Chang Quong, Mr Chan Yuoc, Master Chan Ngan Jung, Mrs Fung Shee Mes ra Fong Lee, C. E. Guest, F. O. D. Gourdin, L. S. Goddard, Mr and Mrs W. A. Kincaid, Master W. Kincaid, Mrs Lim Shee, Messrs Low Yo Lung, Lee Yok Loo Chuck Yin, Mrs Lim Shee, Master Louis Kee Sang, Mr David L. Moss, Mr Joseph F. Marias, Mrs J. F. Marias, Messrs Mar Ho, J. Mason, W. T. Pratt, Miss Estelle Phillip, Mrs C. F. Preusser, Masters J. Preusser, Messrs Quan Sun Hong, Quan Shun Gee, Quen Fou, H. B. Smith, R. S. F. Simson, Mr and Mrs F. P. Smith, Mrs L. Schultz, Mr and Mrs G. E. Talmage, Mrs P. Thoux, Messrs Tong Shik Fan, Wong Kee, Woo Tinn, Wong Yung San Woo Yuen, Woo Hon Sik Mrs O. V. Wood, Miss D. Wood, Mr and Mrs Young Goon Sing; for Yokohama: Miss V. Walker; for Shanghai: Mrs B. Brown, Mr B. C. Byrd, Mr and Mrs G. Bardwill, Miss E. R. Van Brunt, Mr Chan Chi Kwok, Mr H. T. Chan, Mr W. B. Curtiss, Mr Chan Tung Yok, Mr T. G. Dakeford, Mr A. E. Disney, Mr L. D. Farnsworth, Miss Z. Farnsworth, Mr B. Faerber, Mr and Mrs J. L. Fan, Mr and Mrs A. Greenwood, Mr A. Hutchison, Mr Hung Chun Ching, Mr and Mrs P. C. Kwok, Mr Kwok U Shun, Mr Kwok Moo Hing, Mr K. T. Larson, Mr Eder Lee, Mrs Loo Hwa Kee, Masters Li Kwan Ki, Li Kwan Jin Li Kwan Pan, Mr T. Mansam, Mr T. W. Mok, Mr Pun Chun Yam, Mr Soo Wai, Mr S. Y. Woo, Mr Y. C. Woo, Mr Wong Tung Kit, Mr Wong San Nam, Mr S. P. White, Miss E. R. Wheeler.

NOTICE TO SHIPPERS AND PASSENGERS.

DIRECTED DEPARTURES.

CHINA COAST, ETC.

SWATOW.

Nov. 26	—I.C.S.N.	Kwongsang.
26.	—I.C.S.N.	Wingsang.
26.	—C. N.	Kaying.
26.	—O.S.K	Kaijo Maru.
26.	—I.C.S.N.	Drufar.
28.	—D. L.	Haifoong.
28.	—C. N.	Kiangsu.
28.	—C. N.	Kiungchow.
30.	—O S.K.	Soshu Maru.
30.	—I.C.S.N.	Hopsang.
Dec. 1.	—D L.	Haihong.
5.	—I.C.S.N.	Childar.
5.	—D. L.	Haiching.
10.	—I.C.S.N.	Hangsang.
14.	—I.C.S.N.	Yatshing.
15.	—P. M.	Gorjistan.
17.	—E. A.	Banka.

AMOY.

Nov. 26.	—O.S.K.	Kaijo Maru.
28.	—D. L.	Haifoong.
28.	—C. N.	Kiungchow.
30.	—O. S. K.	Soshu Maru.
30.	—C. N.	Suiyang.
Dec. 1.	—D. L.	Haihong.
5.	—D. L.	Haiching.
15.	—O. M.	Gorjistan.

FOOCHOW.

Nov. 28.	—D. L.	Haifoong.
Dec. 1.	—D. L.	Haihong.
5.	—D. L.	Haiching.

SHANGHAI.

Nov. 26.	—C. N.	Wuhu.
26.	—I.C.S.N.	Wingsang.
26.	—T.K.K.	Taiyo Maru.
27.	—O. N.	Luchow.
27.	—I.C.S.N.	Taksang.
27.	—N.Y.K.	Awa Maru.
27.	—C. M.	China.
28.	—C. N.	Liangchow.
29.	—N.Y.K.	Sado Maru.
30.	—I.C.S.N.	Tingsang.
30.	—C.P.S.	Empress of Russia.
30.	—C.N.	Suiyang.
Dec. 1.	—L. T.	Nippon.
3.	—P & O.	Plassy.
3.	—N Y.K.	Iyo Maru.
3	—P. & O.	Sicilia.
6.	—P. M.	Pres. Wilson.
9.	—B. F.	Mentor
10.	—I.C.S.N.	Hangsang.
14.	—I.C.S.N.	Yatshing.
18.	—T.K.K.	Tenyo Maru.
20.	—N.Y.K.	Shidzuoka Maru.
23	—E. L.	City of York.
23	—C.P.S.	Empress of Asia.
27.	—P.M.	Pres. Taft.
Jan. 4.	—T.K.K.	Korea Maru.
5.	—O. M.	Nanking.
25.	—C.P.S.	Empress of Asia.
23.	—T.K.K.	Siberia Maru.
Feb. 10.	—C.P.S.	Empress of Canada.

PUKOW.

Nov. 27.	—C. N.	Luchow.

TSINGTAO.

Nov. 26.	—I.C.S.N.	Wingsang.
28.	—C. N.	Liangchow.
30.	—I.C.S.N.	Hopsang.
Dec. 10.	—I.C.S.N.	Hangsang.
14.	—I.C.S.N.	Yat-hing.

WEIHAIWEI.

Nov. 20.	—C. N.	Chusan.

CHEFOO

Nov. 10.	—C. N.	Chusan.

TIENTSIN.

Nov. 28.	—C. N.	Luchow.
Dec. 1.	—I.C.S.N.	Chongshing.

HOIHOW.

Nov. 28.	—C. N.	Chinhua.
29.	—C. N.	Chusan.
Dec. 1.	—I.C.S.N.	Lopsang.

HAIPHONG.

Dec 1.	—I.C.S.N.	Leosang.

KEELUNG.

Nov. 26.	—T.K.K.	Taiyo Maru.
26.	—O. S. K.	Kaijo Maru.
Dec. 21.	—T. K. K.	Persia Maru.

SAIGON.

Nov. 27.	—I.C.J.L.	Tjipanas
30.	—U.S.S.B.	West Faralon.
Dec. 1.	—A. L.	Lake Farrar.
2.	—O.S.K.	Kishu Maru.
6.	—O.S.K.	Bosho Maru.
14	—U.S.S.B.	Apus.
16.	—T.K.K.	Woyo Maru.

PAKHOI AND HAIPHONG.

Nov. 28.	—C. N.	Kaifong

BANGKOK.

Nov. 25.	—I.C.S.N.	Drufar
28.	—C. N.	Kiangsu.
Dec. 2.	—O.S.K.	Kishu Maru.
5.	—I.C.S.N.	Childar.
17.	—A. E.	Banka.

SINGAPORE.

Nov. 16.	—O. N.	Kaying.
17.	—P. & O.	Kashgar.
27.	—N.Y.K.	Wakasa Maru.
27	—B. I.	Takada
27.	—B. F.	Philoctetes.
28.	—C. N.	Chinhua.
29.	—N.Y.K.	Tateishi Maru.
29.	—G. L.	Glengarry.
29.	—N.Y.K.	Kawachi Maru.
30.	—S. & B.	West Faralon.
Dec. 1.	—B. F.	Demodocus.
1.	—A. L.	Lake Farrar.
2.	—O.S.K.	Kishu Maru.
4.	—B. F.	Pyrrhus
6.	—P. & O.	Kerma'a.
7.	—K.P.M.	Van Cloon.
7.	—E. A.	Malaya.
9.	—N. Y. K.	Hakozaki Maru.
9.	—B. F.	Phemius.
10.	—N.Y.K.	Kamakura Maru.
14.	—U.S.S.B.	Apus.
16.	—B. I.	Torilla.
16.	—O.S.K.	Shunko Maru.
17.	—P & O.	Sicilia.
18.	—B. F.	Phemius.
20.	—B. F.	Meriones.
20.	—N.Y.K.	Kitano Maru.
23.	—P. M.	Gorjistan.
23.	—B. F.	Oanfa.
23.	—B. F.	Mentor
23	—E. L.	City of Paris.
27.	—P & O.	Kashgar.
30.	—B. F	Glaucus.
Jan. 5.	—B. F.	Myrmidon.
8.	—B. F.	Eumæus.
10.	—P. & O.	Plassy.
15	—B F.	Thessis
18.	—E. A.	Australien
20.	—B. F.	Keemun.
21.	—B. F.	Alpenor.
24.	—P. & O.	Sardinia.
27.	—G. L.	Glenfiffer.
29.	—B. F.	Diomed.
Feb. 1.	—B. F.	Cyclops.
5.	—B. F.	Telemachus.
7.	—P. & O.	Delta.
12.	—B. F.	Tairsear.
14.	—E. L.	City of York.
14.	—E. A.	Afrika.
19.	—B. F.	Troilus.
21.	—P. & O.	Khiva.
Mar. 7.	—P. & O.	Morea.
12.	—E. A.	Chile.
21.	—P. & O.	Kashmir.
Apr. 4.	—P. & O.	Dongola.
18.	—P. & O.	Nankin.
May 2.	—P. & O.	Karmala.
16	—P. & O.	Kashgar.
30	—P. & O.	Nyanza.

PHILIPPINE ISLANDS, ETC.

MANILA.

Nov. 27.	—P. M.	Pres. Wilson.
28.	—T.K.K.	Seiyo Maru.
28.	—E. & A.	Eastern.
30.	—U.S.S.B.	West Faralon.
Dec. 1.	—I.C.S.N.	Yuensang.
4.	—A. L.	Pres. Jackson.
14	—U.S.S.B.	Apus.
18.	A. L.	Pres. Grant.
18.	—P. M.	Pres. Taft.
19.	—N.Y.K.	Tango Maru.
Jan. 1.	—A. L.	Pres. Jefferson.
10.	—T.K.K.	Rakuyo Maru.
11.	—T.K.K.	Shinyo Maru.

SANDAKAN.

Dec. 14.	—I.C.S.N.	Mausang.

JAVA PORTS, ETC.

Nov. 20	—J.C.J.L.	Tjisalak.
30.	—U.S.S.B.	West Faralon
30.	—T.K.K.	Persia Maru.
Dec. 1.	—J.C.J.L.	Tjitaroem.
9	—Nanyo Y.K.	Srang Maru.
14.	—U.S.S.B.	Apus.
16.	—T.K.K.	Woyo Maru.
13.	—C. M.	Gorjistan.

INDIAN PORTS, ETC.

CALCUTTA.

(VIA RANGOON).

Nov. 27.	—B. I.	Takada.
29.	—N.Y.K.	Tateishi Maru.
Dec. 9.	—I.C.S.N.	Kutsang.
12.	—O.S.K.	Seikai Maru.
15.	—I.C.S.N.	Laisang.
16.	—B. I.	Torilla.

ITALIAN OPERA.

CLOSING PERFORMANCES.

Two opportunities remain to hear a combination of singers and actors not often met with "East of Suez".

This afternoon "Il Trovatore" and at the evening performance "Lucia di Lammermoor are to be repeated, probably the most musical in the apparently inexhaustive repertoire of the Company.

Last night Verdi's "Ernani" was staged and proved but another of the many successes gained during the past fortnight. It was a triumph for principals, chorus, and orchestra alike. The male members of the chorus were heartily applauded for some fine part and unison singing in the opening scenes and all through lent effective support. If the story of "Ernani" does not grip, the same cannot be said of the music. It is simply a succession of beautiful harmonies of the most melodious type, with a lilt that is irrepressible. Concerted pieces abound and are wonderful tone poems. Singers excelled and there was ever the warm tribute to the efforts of Signorina Impallomeni, and Signors Artino, Mauceri, and Scamuzzi. The latter proved himself quite at home in tender pianissimo passages as well as the declamatory style, which has earned him fame. Altogether it was a magnificent performance on the part of all concerned.

ALLEGED BRIBE.

ILLICIT COCAINE CHARGE.

Arrested on the Kowloon wharf last night on a charge of having in his possession 32 ounces of cocaine (56,000 official doses) a Chinese was this morning committed by Mr. R. E. Lindsell to stand his trial at the Criminal Sessions on a charge of offering the constable who arrested him a bribe of $36.

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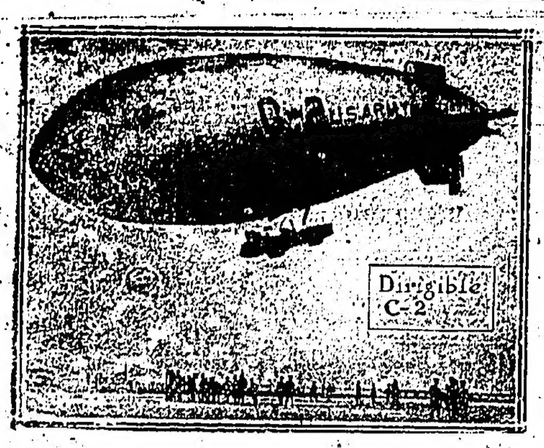


The first dirigible to cross the American continent photographed at San Francisco at the end of its long flight.

Baseball fans camping in the grounds in order to get a good seat for the world matches.

The latest Parisian dance. The Shah of Persia is said to have invented it.

When the second game in the world baseball series in New was York called in the tenth innings with the score a tie, an angry mob surrounded the box occupied by K. M. Landis, high commissioner of baseball, and threatened him, declaring there was plenty of light to continue play. Police had to save Judge Landis and escort him from the field.

Not an understudy of Sherlock Holmes but the manager of the "Yankees," baseball team.

This promising young linguist speaks English, German, Polish, Russian and Italian with equal fluency.

Still golfs though 92.

Faced with the alternative of losing her driver's license or spending forty-eight hours in jail, Miss Kathryn Miller, nineteen year-old daughter of a wealthy Oakland (Cal.) manufacturer, went to jail. She dislikes street cars and prefers to drive her own car, though she denied she was going forty-five miles an hour when arrested for speeding.

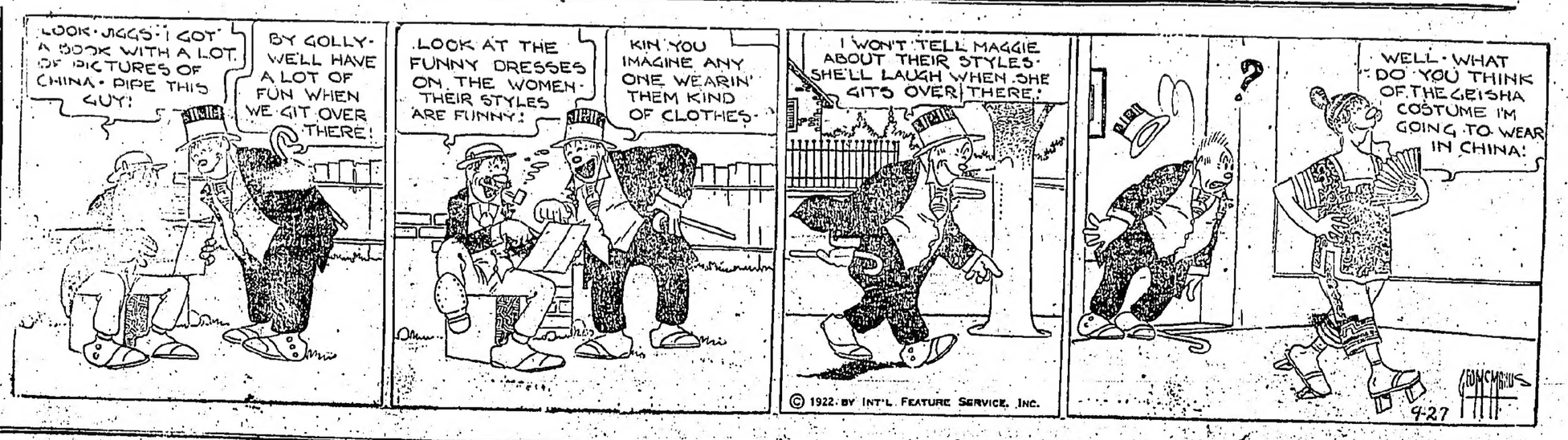
New York secret service man.

America's Champion rifle shot.

Japan's drug King who is reputed to be worth $9,000 000 and has just established a free educational institute.

Shot her husband when he deserted her.

Earl Willard, of Brockton, Mass., considers a quart of blood of little consequence when it comes to saving life, and twelve times he has volunteered for blood transfusions.



EARLIER TELEGRAMS.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.)

ORIENTALS IN BRITISH COLUMBIA.

VANCOUVER, November 23rd.

Mr. E. D. Barrow, Minister of Agriculture (British Columbia) advocating, in the Provincial Legislature, an amendment to the British North American Act to give the Province power to prevent Oriental ownership of lands, said that 14,000 acres in the province were owned, and 12,000 leased to Asiatics. It was now practically impossible to purchase produce in British Columbia which was not grown by Orientals. Japanese controlled the majority of small fruit farms and Chinese owned truck farming. He supported the resolution of the Minister of Mines urging the exclusion of Asiatic immigrants.

LAUSANNE CONFERENCE.

LAUSANNE, November 23rd.

The first commission of the conference have appointed a sub-commission to consider, *inter alia*, the establishment of a demilitarised zone on the frontier of East Thrace. The sub-commission will also endeavour to arrange a Bulgarian outlet on the Aegean Sea.

BRITISH POLITICS.

LONDON, November 23rd.

During the House of Lords' debate on the King's speech, Earl Grey dwelt on the ominousness of the foreign situation. He declared that we are not far off, and probably have already reached, a point at which Russia, Turkey and Germany are forming a combination. The lesson should be taken to heart by France and Italy as much as Great Britain.

Lord Salisbury, in replying, said that the Government was determined to maintain Allied friendship at the Lausanne Conference.

CLEMENCEAU.

WASHINGTON, November 23rd.

M. Clemenceau's utterance was under fire in the Senate, where, during a sharp debate covering recent relationships, Senator Hitchcock declared that M. Clemenceau's attitude towards Germany detracted from his appeal to the American people, although it was mild compared with the attitude of the present French Government.

Senator Hitchcock pictured Germany as being on the verge of insurrection, as the result of the French reparations policy, and declared that it was utter nonsense to expect Germany to meet the demands France had exacted. The French policy was a policy of war and not of peace.

Senator Borah declared that M. Clemenceau's accusation of dishonour, against America, was unfounded and ungrateful.

Senator Sterling (Republican) closed the debate with a defence of M. Clemenceau, whose fears of Germany, he said, were well founded.

NEW YORK, November 23rd.

M. Clemenceau, interviewed *en route* to Boston, said he welcomed the criticism, and declared that that was what he came for.

KING OF RUMANIA.

LONDON, November 23rd.

Reports from Bucharest state that an attempt has been made on the King of Rumania's life. His Majesty was returning by train from a hunt in Transylvania, when the train which preceded him was derailed, owing to the line having been destroyed.

FRENCH MILITARY SERVICE.

PARIS, November 23rd.

The Senate Army Commission, by 16 votes to 15, have decided in favour of a period of military service of eighteen months, instead of the present two years' service.

M. C. C. ON TOUR

GRAHAMSTOWN, November 23rd.

Grahamstown, playing 15 men, declared their innings closed with nine men out for 132 runs. The M.C.C. had scored 350 for the loss of five wickets when stumps were drawn. Sandham scored 124, Fender 60, and Mead 93 not out. The match was drawn.

OBITUARY.

ROME, November 23rd.

The death is announced of Baron Sidney Sonnino.

[Baron Sidney Sonnino was born at Pisa, March 11th, 1847. His mother was English. He was an LL.D. University of Pisa 1865; member of the Italian Parliament, 1880-1919, holding various ministerial appointments including the Premiership 1906, 1909-1910.]

SHADOWS BEFORE.

COMING EVENTS ADVERTISED IN THE "MAIL."

ENTERTAINMENTS.

November 25.—Coronet Theatre; "A Midnight Romance;" "Maid in the Kitchen," and China Gazette; World Theatre; William Russell in "Eastward Ho!" Kowloon Theatre; "The Fatal Marriage." Theatre Royal; "Lucia di Lammermoor."

November 26.—Theatre Royal; Matinee "Il Trovatore."

December 1.—A.D.C. Xmas Production of Shakespeare's "Tempest."

SPORTING EVENTS.

November 28.—Theatre Royal: Boxing Tournament booking for members only.

November 29.—Theatre Royal; Boxing Tournament booking for General Public.

December 1.—Theatre Royal; Boxing Tournament, Main event, 9.15 p.m.

December 23.—Theatre Royal; Next Boxing Tournament.

January 27.—Theatre Royal; Boxing Tournament.

COMPANY MEETINGS.

December 5—Hongkong, Canton Macao steamboat Coy., extraordinary general meeting, noon.

December 22.—Hongkong, Canton Macao steamboat Coy., extraordinary general meeting, noon.

PUBLIC AUCTION SALES.

November 27.—Hughes and Hough: Government Teakwood Launch Yanmati 11 a.m.

November 27.—Lammert Bros., Household furniture etc., Holmdale, No. 44, The Peak 2.45 p.m.

November 27.—Land sale, P.W.D. Offices, 3 p.m.

November 28.—Lammert Bros., Household furniture and blackwood ware, 8, Knutsford Terrace, Kowloon, 2.45 p.m.

November 28.—Hughes and Hough: valuable teakwood and blackwood furniture and household sundries, one piano and two new carpets. Sales Rooms, 2.30 p.m.

November 29.—Lammert Bros., property situate at Nos. 402 and 404 Des Voeux Road, and 397A 397B Queen's Road, 3 p.m.

OTHER MEETING.

November 29.—Hongkong Jockey Club, half-yearly meeting, 12.30 p.m., Hongkong Club Annexe.

UNCLAIMED TELEGRAMS.

THE GREAT NORTHERN TELEGRAPH COMPANY, LTD.

The following unclaimed telegrams are lying at the office of The Great Northern Telegraph Company (Limited):—

Irene Barton care Suwa-maru, from Keijo.
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Peak, from Shanghai.
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Tung Tai, from Shanghai.
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Th. KRING,
Superintendent.

Hongkong, November 23, 1922.

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List of unclaimed telegrams lying in E. E. Telegraph Office, Hongkong.

Freyman Banco Building, from Durban.
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Prosperity, from Calcutta.
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M. E. F. AIREY,
Superintendent.

Hongkong, November 16, 1922.

EXCHANGE.

Hongkong, November 24, 1922.

On London—	
Bank, Wire ...	2/4-⅜
„ On demand, ...	2/4-1⅛
„ 30 days' sight, ...	—
„ 4 months' sight, ...	2/4-7
Credits, 4 months' sight ...	2/5-⅛
Documentary 4 months' sight	2/5 1⅛
On Paris—	
On demand, ...	760
Credits, 4 months' sight, ...	795
On New York—	
On demand, ...	53⅝
Credits, 60 days' sight ...	55⅝
On Bombay—	
Wire, ...	—
On demand ...	179½
On Calcutta—	
Wire, ...	—
On demand ...	179½
On Singapore—	
On demand ...	101⅞
On Manila—	
On demand, ...	108½
On Shanghai—	
On demand ...	—
30 days' sight (private paper)	
On Yokohama—	
On demand, ...	110½
Gold Leaf, 100 fine (per tael) ...	—
Sovereigns (Bank's buying rate)	8.17
Silver (per oz.)	32⅝

SUBSIDIARY COINS.

Hongkong 50 cents sub. ...	par.
„ 10 „ ...	¼ % p.m.
„ 5 „ ...	½ % dis.
Canton coins ...	24.5 % dis.
Bar Silver in Hongkong ...	7 % pm n.
Chinese Copper Cash... ...	6 % pm.
Chinese Copper Cents ...	—
Rate of Native Interest ...	6 % p.a.
Chinese Sub. Coin ...	24½ % dis.
Hongkong Sub. Coin ...	par.

NOTICE.

PEAK TRAMWAYS COMPANY, LIMITED.

TIME TABLE

WEEK DAYS.

7.00 a.m. to 8.00 a.m.	every	15 minutes
8.00 a.m. to 10.00 a.m.	„	10 „
10.00 a.m. to 11.00 a.m.	„	15 „
11.30 a.m. to 12.30 p.m.	„	15 „
12.30 p.m. to 2.30 p.m.	„	10 „
2.30 p.m. to 4.00 p.m.	„	15 „
4.00 p.m. to 8.10 p.m.	„	10 „

NIGHT CARS.

8.50 p.m., 9.00 p.m., 9.20 p.m.
9.30 p.m. to 11.00 p.m. every 30 minutes.
11.15 p.m. to 11.45 every 15 minutes

SATURDAYS.

Extra Car—12 midnight.

SUNDAYS.

7.00 a.m. to 9.30 a.m.	every	15 minutes
9.30 a.m. to 11.00 a.m.	„	10 „
11.15 a.m. to 12.00 noon	„	15 „
12.00 noon to 1.00 p.m.	„	10 „
1.00 p.m. to 4.00 p.m.	„	15 „
4.00 p.m. to 8.10 p.m.	„	10 „

NIGHT CARS.

8.50 p.m., 9.00 p.m., 9.20 p.m.
9.30 p.m. to 11.30 p.m. every 30 minutes
11.45 p.m.

SPECIAL CARS by arrangement at the Company's Office, Alexandra Buildings, Des Voeux Road Central.

Season and punch tickets available for all cars not all ready full running at the time stated in the Company's time tables, but not for special cars, can be obtained on application at the Company's Office. No Season ticket will be issued until payment therefor has been made in Bank Notes or by Cheque or Compradore order representing Bank Notes.

JOHN D. HUMPHREYS & SON, General Managers.

LOCAL SHARE MARKET.

HONGKONG, NOVEMBER 24th, 1922.

OFFICIAL QUOTATIONS

11 A.M.

Names.	Stock Exchange.	Sharebrokers Association
Banks.		
H.S.B.C. T.T. selling rate on London ...	2/4⅝	2/4⅝
and on Shanghai...	$ 74⅛	$74⅝
Hongkong Banks ...	$ 945 s. 945 sa.	s. 945
do. New ...	—	—
East Asia Bank ...	104½ n.	n. 105
Marine Insurances.		
Canton Insurance ...	$ 470 b.	b. 472
North China Insurance ...	$ 131 n.	n. 140
Union Insurance ...	$ 209 b. 210 sa.	b. 209
Yangtsze Insurance ...	$25 b.	b. 25
Far Easterns ...	T —	—
Fire Insurances		
China Fire Insurance ...	$ 116 b.	b. 117
Hongkong Fire Insurance ...	$430 b.	b. 430
Shipping		
Douglases ...	$ 54 s.	s. 54½
H.K. Steamboats ...	$ 33 sa.	s. 33½
Indo-Chinas (Pref.) ...	$ 35½ b.	n. 35
do. (Def.)...	$ 23½ n. 23½ n.	s. 220
Shell Transports ...	84/- b.	b. 83/-
Star Ferries ...	$ 41½ n.	n. 41
Refineries		
China Sugar ...	$ 152 n.	n. 154
Malabon Sugar ...	$ 46 n.	b. 45
Mining		
Kailan Mining Adm. ...	63/- b.	n. 64/-
Langkats ...		
Shanghai Loans ...	Comb. T 14½ b.	sa. 15
S'hai Explorations...		
Raubs ...	$ 6½ sa.	s. 6.30 sa. 6.40
Tronoh Mines ...	28/- b.	
Ural Caspians ...	12/- b.	
Benguet Con. ...	P. 2.10 b.	
Docks, Wharves, Godowns, &c		
H. & K. Wharfs ...	170 s.	s. 167½
H. & W. Dock...	$ 183 s.	s. 188
S'hai Docks ...	T 100 s.	s 100
New Engineerings ...	T 8.60 n.	n. 9
H.K. Engineerings ...	—	—
Shanghai Hankow...	$191 n.	
Lands, Hotels & Buildings		
Central Estates ...	$212½ b.	n. 209
Hongkong Hotels ...	29⅞ b. 30 sa. New 24½ b.	24½ sa. (s. 31 New b. 24
Hongkong Lands ...	$ 6.65 b.	b. 286
Humphreys ...	$ 18 n.	s. 18
Kowloon Lands ...	$ 62 n.	b. 62
Lank Reclamations ...	$ 205 b.	b. 207
West Points ...	$ —	—
Cotton Mills		
Ewo Cotton Mills, Ltd....	Tls 14 s.	s. 14
Kung Yiks ...	—	—
Leou Kung Mows ...	—	—
Orientals ...	T 9⅞ b. 9.90 s.	n. 10
Shanghai Cotton ...	T 125 n.	n. 126
Yangtszepoos ...	—	—
Miscellaneous		
Cements ...	$ 21 b. 21½ s.	b. 21.20 21½ sa.
China-Borneos...	—	—
China Lights (Old)...	$14 sa.	b. 13½
do. (New) ...	—	—
China Providents ...	$23 b.	sa. 23½
Dairy Farms ...	$24½ n.	s. 24½
H.K. Electrics...	$23½ b. now 23½ b.	n. 24 New n. 23
Macao Do. ...	$ 27 n.	—
Hongkong and Canton Ices...	—	b. 6½
Hongkong Ropes ...	$ 39½ b. 40½ s.	s. 40½
Hongkong Tramways ...	$ 17½ b. 17.80 sa	s. 17.85
Peak Tramways (Old) ...	$ 10½ b.	b. 10½
Do. (New) ...	$ 1 b	b 1½
Steam Laundries ...	$ —	—
H.K. Steel Foundry ...	$ 12½ n.	s. 12½
Water-boats ...	$ 17½ b. 18 s.	s. 18
Watson's ...	$ 13½ b.	n. 13½
Wm. Powells ...	$ 18 b.	—
Wiseman's ...	$ —	—
Lane Crawfords ...	$ 20 b.	b. 20 s. 21
Canton Ices...	$ 8⅝ b.	—
H K. Construction ...	$1½ sa.	—
Nanyang Tobacco ...	—	b. 21
Sincares...	—	n. 11½

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